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WANTS.

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LOST OR STRAYED—A Japanese pug dog Answers to name of Jap. Finder will be rewarded on returning same or giving particulars of whereabouts to John J. Austin, 57 Government street, Victoria. jun30-tf

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jel-1y

DOMINION LODGE, No. 4,
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JAMES AULD, N.G.
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oct9 K. of R. & S.

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SPORTING NOTES.

Brief Resume of Sporting Matters Here and Elsewhere.

CHICAGO, July 5.—Billy Brennan, the pugilist, who was so seriously injured last night in a fight with Frank Girard, died at 4 o'clock this morning at Battery D. Shortly after midnight the police arrested "Reddy" Gallagher, the referee of the fight, and Paddy Carroll and Jack McInery, seconds. Brennan was a native of Brooklyn, N.Y., where his father and sister reside. He was 21 years old and was to have left last night for Buffalo to get ready for a finish fight with Jack Hanley.

The Westminster Rowing club is dead. Its demise is mourned by quite an extensive circle of athletic friends.

THE CHAMPION.

Angus Morrison, a well known athlete of Westminster, was made the victim of a practical joke the other day. Mr. Morrison is a carpenter by trade, and takes his tools to the work in hand in the usual tool bag. A joker put a big 20 pound stone in it, and Mr. Morrison carried the extra weight two miles before he knew it. He is now surely champion at "putting the stone."

WON'T HAVE IT.

The authorities at 'Frisco have put their foot down on the prize fight knock outs that were for so long a time a feature of the Bay City athletic clubs. Boxing on theatre stages is no longer allowed.

HANLAN WINS.

SIOUX CITY, July 5.—Edward Hanlan defeated Geo. Hosmer by a half length in a three mile shell race on the Big Sioux river yesterday afternoon for a purse of $500, of which the winner got $300. Both men were in good trim, Hanlan weighing 173 pounds, Hosmer 142. At the start Hosmer lead, and kept it for nearly a mile, when Hanlan shot ahead and kept it to the finish. Over 4000 people were present.

Plucking Violets.

As "violets plucked will never grow again" so a good name once lost we never can regain. An article which after extended trial won great fame and as time rolls on by good deeds still increases, it is Burdock Blood Bitters the best cure for dyspepsia and all blood diseases. *

AMERICAN DISPATCHES.

TRAINING INDIANS FOR SOLDIERS IN THE TERRITORIES.

A Mine of Bees Found in Kentucky—The Floods and Freshets in New Jersey—Moody Thinks the Word Heathen Should Not Be Used.

MILFORD, N. J., July 5.—A cloudburst caused the creek through the village to overflow to-day, damaging property to the extent of hundreds of thousands of dollars. A little daughter of W. H. Slater was caught in the torrent and drowned, and others had narrow escapes. Two bridges were washed away; the railroad track was washed out. One citizen ran up the track and warned the express train and prevented a wreck.

Indians as Soldiers.

NEW YORK, July 5.—The Herald's Washington special says: In view of the recent indications of trouble with the Cheyenne Indians, the war department has approved the request from Gen. Ruger, commanding the department at Dakota, for an increase in the number of Indian scouts at Fort Custer from six to thirty. This makes the third increase in the number of Indian scouts authorized during the present year. Gen. Ruger was previously authorized to organize a company of one hundred Indian scouts at Fort Keough, Mont., in response to a request from a number of officers who adverted to the use of Indians as soldiers. This company is organized purely for experimental purposes. The department is now anxiously waiting for results. Gen. Merritt was also given a chance to see what he could do with the Indians as soldiers, authority having been given for the organization of a company of one hundred within his department, but it will be sometime before any results are reported.

A Western Cyclone.

WALLA WALLA, July 4.—A peculiar electrical disturbance occurred at five o'clock. The sky suddenly became clouded and the citizens were startled by one loud peal of thunder and a vivid flash of lightening. Alec Robb, who was passing along Rose street, received a severe shock, and a poplar tree on the same street was splintered by the lightning. There was only one peal of thunder, and one flash of lightning, when the weather cleared up as suddenly as it had clouded. A cyclone on a small scale visited the Walla Walla valley. The storm came very suddenly and traveled from south-west to northeast, its track being about three quarters of a mile wide and sweeping the whole length of the valley on the northern side. Thousands of bushels of wheat nearly ready to cut were threshed by the storm, and green wheat was turned down so that it will be impossible to save it.

A Lamp Explosion.

BOSTON, July 5.—At 9 o'clock last evening a lighted lamp in the hallway of Mrs. Catharine Waters' house, 41 Webber street, Roxbury, exploded, inflicting injuries on Mrs. Waters, aged 45, and her sister Mrs. Garvin, aged 40. Their cries for help summoned assistance, and they were found lying on the stairs in an unconscious condition, and with their clothing entirely burned from their bodies. They were taken to the city hospital, where Mrs. Waters died about midnight. Mrs. Garvin cannot recover.

Who is the Most Popular.

BOSTON, July 5.—The Globe to-day offers a sword, furnished by Tiffany, and costing $1000, as a gift to the most popular Grand Army man in the country. Any one may vote on coupons printed in the Globe. Voting begins to-day, and will continue until about the middle of August.

From Southern Seas.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 6.—The steamer Mariposa brings news from Honolulu this morning that a resolution was recently offered in the Hawaiian legislature expressing a want of confidence in the ministry. An amendment, in which the attorney-general, who has been accused among other things of conspiracy against the government, was substituted, and resulted in a tie vote. All the members of the government thereupon resigned, and the attorney-general followed suit.

Samoan news received by the Mariposa which arrived this morning states that there seems to be a probability of trouble among the natives, as rumors of plotting are current all over the island. King Malietoa recently had to send away some chiefs who had met to discuss matters of state, as they were on the eve of pitching into one another.

Naval Frauds Exposed.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 3.—The Examiner to-day devoted thirteen columns to an alleged exposure of fraudulent methods in furnishing the government supplies to the Mare Island navy yard. The article contends that the coal contract has almost invariably been given to James McCudden, ex-member of the legislature, and that the paper's representative, in pursuing his investigations, found several shortages in the amount of coal delivered to the navy yard under certain of these contracts. These facts were made known to Commodore Benham, commandant of the yard, and under his instructions the matter was laid before the department at Washington. Secretary Tracy has ordered the payment of fraudulent bills stopped, pending further investigation by the department.

It is claimed that a newspaper representative, while acting as tally clerk or book-keeper in the yard, was approached by McCudden, who offered, if he would report the amount of coal delivered as being of full specified weight, to divide with him the profits arising from the shortage in weight, and under this agreement the representative received about $500, which is now on deposit with the Examiner.

Alaskan News.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 3.—The Kariuk Packing Company's steamer Kariuk, which has arrived here from Unga, reports that on June 17, the United States steamer Bear left Ounalaska for a cruise in the Behring sea. The whaler Mary D. Hume was also cruising around Ounalaska, and in the middle of June a boatload of men left the vessel to cruise about while the whaler remained at anchor. On the return of the small boat to the vessel a heavy sea capsized it, and two of the occupants were drowned. Their names could not be ascertained. The steamer Arago, chartered by Liebes Bros. for sealing purposes, was at Ounalaska when the Kariuk left, as was the United States fishing steamer Albatross, which latter is making a survey of Alaska for fishing banks in the interest of the government. The schooner Mattie T. Dyer, which the Bear seized for illegal sealing, was also tied up at Ounalaska.

Long-Distance Raft-Towing Profitable.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 2.—The steamer Noyo arrived in port this afternoon with a large raft of piles in tow, and proceeded up Oakland creek, where the cargo will be discharged. The Noyo Lumber Company, her owners, are well pleased with her departure in freighting lumber and mean to keep it up. The Noyo brought down a smaller raft from Noyo several weeks ago. The present tow represents the cargoes of more than two ordinary coasting steamers. There are 500 piles in the raft, twenty-five in each section. The freight money represented in the Noyo's tow is estimated at $1,800.

Baby Poisoned by Canned Corn.

WALLA WALLA, July 3.—Yesterday the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reed, of Pendleton, was buried in this city. It is believed by the attending physician to have been poisoned by canned corn. On Saturday afternoon the child, a lively, healthy boy, fifteen months old, was allowed to eat heartily of the corn, and early the following morning was taken with convulsions, which it suffered at intervals until its death. The can was afterward examined and found to be black inside.

IN CENTRAL AMERICA.

Proposed Union of the Republican States—Chances for a Revolution.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 4.—Rumors of war and revolution in Guatemala excites considerable comment in this city among Guatemalans residing here. Domingo Estrader, the consul general of Guatemala to this city was seen and made the following statement:

I have received no official information from my government, and am inclined to doubt the stories of trouble. One can never trust news or place any dependence in the information received from the Central American states, for the reason that such news invariably comes by way of the City of Mexico. There is living in Mexico a Guatemalan named Barunda, who was minister of war under the late General Barrios. He is in bad odor in our country and cannot live there. Consequently he is always endeavoring to start revolutions, but he can never succeed. I think he is alone responsible for many of the reports of revolution sent to the United States from the City of Mexico. Guatemala is now in a very prosperous condition, and is becoming an exceedingly wealthy country. I receive very little information of what is going on down there, because the minister to this country is not at Washington, being in Paris at the present time. General Balz, the minister of our government in New York, has received a cablegram from San Jose, stating that peace reigns and that there is no trouble there."

Roberto A. Nanne, who, with his father, built the only railroad in Guatemala, and who has large business interests there, arrived from San Jose de Guatemala a few weeks ago with his wife and family, this being his first visit to the United States. He was found at his hotel and made the following statement:

Trouble in Gantemala arises over the proposed union of states. It was expected to have the united government of Guatemala, Honduras, Salvador, Costa Rica, and Nicaragua in operation by the middle of September. The different governments want the union, but the people are not favorable to the proposition. In each of the five republics they are very patriotic people, and are greatly afraid of giving away their rights if a union takes place. Guatemala and Honduras will act together in this matter against Costa Rica, Salvador and Nicaragua. People of the last named republics want their rulers to be of their own number, and are opposed to having Guatemala or Honduras rule or dictate, or, in fact, to have the capital city of the union located in Guatemala. San Salvador lies between Guatemala and Honduras, and as this republic is opposed to the union it is very likely that Guatemala and Honduras will attempt to force her into an agreement. If war should break out between the republics it will prove very disastrous to all countries, because as soon as soldiers leave the capital of one republic the rival political parties will commence fighting among themselves. It looks like war down there, and although I have large business interests in Guatemala, I will remain here until the trouble is passed. If the union could be adopted without Guatemala seeking to control there would be no difficulty, but Guatemala being so populous and by far the most wealthy and important of the five republics, naturally enough, thinks the capital of the united countries should be San Jose de Guatemala. For the same reasons the people of that country think a Guatemalan should be the first president of the union. As long as the inborn patriotism and state pride exists among the people of the different republics I cannot see how the union can be effected. It certainly cannot be done without the loss of many lives.

Flags at Daley's, 91 Douglas street. *

Poetic Sentiment.

To apply the poetic words "a medicine that's able to breathe life into a stone" to B. B. B. savors of exaggeration, but considering its countless cures and wonderful work even exaggeration seems justifiable if it convinces those who hesitate to try B. B. B. and be cured. *

HOME AND FOREIGN.

ENGLISH EASY GAME FOR GERMANS IN CENTRAL AMERICA.

General Middleton Addresses a Few Parting Words to His Friends—Enlarging Alaska by Taking Canadian Territory—The Queen's Present to Miss Tennant.

LONDON, July 5.—The wages of the Northumberland miners were again advanced 2½ per cent., making a total increase of 30 per cent. conceded within the past few months.

New Spanish Ministry.

MADRID, July 5.—A new cabinet has been formed composed of Prime Minister, Senor Canoves del Caltello; Minister of Foreign Affairs, Duke of Tetuan; Minister of Finance, Senor Cosgayon; Minister of the Interior, Senor Silvela; Minister of Justice, Senor Villaverde; Minister of Commerce, Senor Isasa; Minister of Marine, Admiral Buerger; Minister of Colonies, Senor Fabre.

Bismarck Done With Politics.

BERLIN, July 5.—Prince Bismarck has declined to contest the Kaiserlatern for the Reichstag.

English Tracks.

LONDON, July 5.—At Kempton Park to-day, the race for the Princess of Wales' stakes was won by Deuce of Clubs. The Kempton Park international two-year-old plate was won by St. Cyr.

Alaska Bigger than Before.

WINNIPEG, July 4.—The Edmonton, N. W. T., Bulletin states that a report was received at Fort Chippewa recently from the north, to the effect that United States surveyors had established the 141st meridian, which places the boundary between Canada and Alaska twenty-eight miles farther east than it is generally supposed to be. This will transfer a long stretch of the gold-bearing district of the Yukon to the United States, and will also place the Hudson Bay Company's post of Rupert House outside of British territory.

A Swede Chief Justice of Samoa.

STOCKHOLM, July 4.—In accordance with the request of America, Germany and England King Oscar has nominated Conrad Ceherkeraub for the post of Chief Justice of Samoa. The appointee is now an assistant judge in this city.

Cession of Heligoland.

LONDON, July 4.—Prof. James Bryce presented a petition in the commons signed by 15,000 Newfoundlanders asking parliament to redress the grievances of the Newfoundland fishermen.

Sir James Ferguson explained that the Government does not recognize the treaty rights of the French to catch lobsters or to establish factories in Newfoundland. Sir James also said the government could not corroborate the reports that the Russians were moving towards the Armenian frontier to compel payment of the Turkish war indemnity.

In the House of Lords, Lord Salisbury announced that the Anglo-German agreement was signed on Thursday, and he now laid upon the table a bill affirming the cession of Heligoland to Germany. The agreement, he said, made the inhabitants of the island subject to German law, with special exception that those now living there were not subject to conscription.

The bill was read a first time and will come up for a second reading next Thursday.

Deathbed Repentance.

LONDON, July 4.—W. S. Caine has written a letter to Mr. Gladstone saying that he has returned to the Gladstonian party and is prepared to accept home rule in principle, while still reserving freedom with regard to details.

The Queen's Present.

LONDON, July 4.—The Queen has presented Miss Dorothy Tennant, who is to marry Mr. Stanley, with a miniature likeness of Her Majesty, together with a lock of her hair.

Compensation for France.

PARIS, July 4.—Temps says the British Government has accepted the principles of compensation to France for the English protectorate of Zanzibar. The nature of the compensation is not yet decided.

MIDDLETON'S RESIGNATION.

The Late Commander Writes a few Parting Words to His Fellow Officers.

OTTAWA, July 4.—Gen. Middleton has written a few parting words to the commandant of Kingston military college. Now that Middleton has been disposed of the question arises, what is going to be done with his aide, Captain Streetfield, who arrived here six weeks ago from England. Sir A. Caron says that he was not consulted as to his appointment and refuses to pay his expenses here or his salary since he did come. Middleton had a right, it seems, to make a selection. Rather strange way to treat British officers.

GERMANS AS TRADERS.

How They do Things in Central America—Manufactured Reports of War.

CHICAGO, July 5.—Marius & Schey, of Guatemala and Brunswick, New York, manufacturer, have arrived here from a trip to Central America. Both of them deny the rumors of a probable war in Central America. Brunswick said: "There is a purpose in creating an erroneous impression in the United States of the true condition of affairs in Central America. The Germans control the big trade of Guatemala, and are closely pressed by the English, while the United States merchants are a poor third. When an American comes to Guatemala and establishes some industry it means that just so much money will not be taken by Germans, so you see the Germans are decidedly adverse to Americans in Central America and their influence will soon be stronger than that of the natives. There is hardly a German merchant who has been in Guatemala five years who is not a rich man to-day, and there are hundreds of them. They are far ahead of Englishmen, in fact they get rich from the English in many instances. There is a coffee plantation near to ours which cost the Germans $10,000 ten years ago. A few improvements were made on the place and it was sold for five hundred thousand dollars not long ago to an English syndicate. So long as Germans do this they surely don't want Americans to be in the way, and they resort to every means to keep them from coming south. I have known instances where a syndicate of Germans sent bogus dispatches to in Central America. I don't doubt they are responsible to a great extent for the present reports of war they are also doing their best to hinder the federation of the Central American states which was to be concluded in September, and it actually looks at times as if they would have some success. Central American union means that the trade of that country with us will be increased 100 per cent.

MR. MOODY SPEAKS.

He Thinks the Word Heathen Very Objectionable—Catholics Upheld.

NORTHFIELD, Mass., July 5.—Mr. Moody in addressing the students' conference this morning pleaded for more tolerance among Protestant Christians. He denounced in scathing language those Prostents who have no charity for Roman Catholics, and he gave the speakers and students to understand that thereafter in praying for and speaking of China, Japan and Oriental lands the word "heathen" must not be used. According to Moody America has far more sins to answer for than have China and India.

BORING FOR HONEY.

Bees for Ages Had Collected Honey in a Kentucky Bluff.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 5.—A successful boring for honey has been made in North Tennessee. For many years swarms of bees have been noticed by boatmen at Fox Bluff on the Cumberland river near Franklin, Ky. The bluff is 170 feet high and the river's channel runs directly under it. The bees have been observed about a big fissure near the centre of the bluff, and the opening could not be reached from above or below without great danger of being stung to death. As the bees had never been robbed it was believed a large amount of honey was stored in the cliff. Recently a well-borer named Starks visited the bluff and was at once impressed with the idea that he could reach the wonderful honey storehouse with his drill. After some coaxing he persuaded a number of farmers to undergo the expense, and a three-inch hole was bored from the top of the bluff. At a depth of 85 feet the drill struck the honey. Barrels and tubs by the score were filled and carried off to neighboring farms, and the syndicate has sent to Louisville for more receptacles.

Conundrum.

The following conundrums have been propounded to the editor of Truth by a fisherman: "Where the boundary line between the Fraser river and the waters of the Gulf of Georgia is, as defined by the Government of Canada in the Fisheries Act? Is is necessary to obtain a license to fish in the salt waters of British Columbia?

Notes From Esquimalt.

H. M. S. Espiegle and Champion will also be docked shortly.

H. M. S. Amphion was filling up with coal yesterday, also the Espiegle.

The steamer Costa Rica is still lying in the harbor waiting for the strike at Wellington to cease.

A brick building is in course of construction at Magazine Island to be used as a filling house.

At last we are having a sidewalk laid from the main road down towards the wharf, not before it was needed.

H. M. S. Daphne and Nymphe are both in the dry dock having their under water fittings examined and cleaned.

The ship Queen Victoria, is nearly discharged after which she will be docked to be cleaned before going over to Tacoma to load wheat for Europe.

Mrs. Fisher, the obliging hostess of the Globe hotel, Esquimalt, left yesterday morning on a two months visit to her old home in Prince Edward Island, after an absence of ten years.

NAUTICAL NOTES.

Items of Interest Along the Water Front—General Marine News.

Tug Lorne is undergoing a few necessary repairs.

The Steamer Louise is due from the north on Monday.

The steamer Amelia is being re-canvased, painted and repaired.

The new steamer Standard will make a trial trip to-morrow afternoon.

The carpenters have about completed their work on the new steamer Chieftain and she is now waiting for the machinists and boiler makers.

The steamer Eastern Oregon, which was to have been put on the Victoria-Portland route in the place of the Lakme has been sold to the Oregon Improvement Company and will not be put on this route now.

The captain of the wrecking schooner Whitelaw reports having seen a schooner beating up the Straits yesterday afternoon but was unable to make any progress on account of the dead calm. The schooner was a double topsailer and is supposed to be the Hampton on her way over the from Sydney, N. S.

Never Have Rubbers.

Some of the most unique designs in spring cloth, for gentlemen's wear, form line of spring suitings, displayed for first time in Victoria, by Cameron & Simpkins, the fashionable Government street Tailors.

Baggage Express.

The Driard Transfer Co., Northern Pacific office, Government street, now office with all trains and steamers. Baggage checked to Puget Sound and all eastern points. ja29

WORDS ON THE SAND.

'Twas evening, at the twilight hour,
I wandered on the pebbly strand,
With one who o'er my heart had power—
He wrote a promise on the sand.
He wrote it first, and then he said it,
"Dear one, from thee I'll never stray!"
But as with fluttering heart I read it,
A billow washed the words away.

A sudden tremor shook my frame,
Spite of the boundless faith I cherished,
It was prophetic—for there came
A day when his devotion perished.
And now I wander aimlessly,
Alone upon the strand,
And wonder why man's vows should be
Like sweet words written on the sand.
—New York Weekly.

MY FIRST COMMISSION.

"A wonderfully handsome woman still; she must have been very beautiful once." I suppose the queer old fellow at her side is her husband. Looks for all the world like Paul Pry."

That was what my nephew said to me as her carriage turned into the park at the Apsley house corner.

"Beautiful!" I replied; "beautiful doesn't express it; she was an angel. She is an angel, a saint, and martyr, too. Dad, how I loved that woman!"

"Oh, of course, uncle," replied my graceless nephew. "Professionally, I suppose?"

You see there isn't so very much difference in our ages, though I am his uncle, and we are more like brothers than uncle and nephew.

"You know you are a very bad lot, uncle," the boy went on. "You go on loving 'em, till you put the last finishing touch, and then you start another canvas and begin to love somebody else. I believe that's the secret of your success as a portrait painter."

My nephew is always saying rude things to me.

"Jack," I said severely, "my success is due entirely to perseverance and the fact that I never flatter." And then that impudent nephew of mine blew out his cheeks, got very red in the face and nearly choked himself with laughter.

And then we sat down upon two of the green chairs.

"Tell us about her, boss," said Jack.

I have three pupils, including my nephew; they all smoke short pipes in my presence, and they all three call me "boss."

That's the Countess of Wallsend, I began. Fifteen years ago her husband, the earl, Paul Pry, as you call him—and you are not the first, Mr. Jack, to call him Paul Pry—became a widower, and every right minded young woman in society duly set her cap at him. At that time I lived off the Tottenham Court road, and I was madly in love with Lottie Vivian. I was the third floor lodger. I just earned a living then, and no more. It was before I had learned to flatter, Mr. Jack. Her photograph struck me at first. I bought the photo—the photo of Lottie Vivian, of the Portico theatre—and I paid my half crown at the pit door.

One night as I came out of the pit of the Portico I found that it was raining cats and dogs, but money was scarce with me, and I walked home through the rain, because I couldn't afford a cab. Just as I neared my own door a four wheeler drew up at it, a lady paid the driver, and then she opened the street door with her latch key and disappeared into the house. Great heavens! it was Lottie Vivian herself, and I stood in the rain in open mouthed astonishment. In a few moments the gas was turned up in the first floor, and then it dawned upon me at once.

I am not a curious man. I knew that an actress lived on the first floor, and that a teacher of languages lived on the second, but I, the third floor lodger, had never troubled my head about them in the least. I had never even asked their names. I went up to my rooms and flung myself into my easy chair, and I thought of the strange fatality that the woman I admired above all living women should be actually dwelling with me under the same roof, and that we were separated only by a single floor. But though I was in love I had a certain amount of common sense left, and I remembered that there was a great gulf between Lottie Vivian, the popular actress, and the painter of pot-boilers on the third floor.

We are still cannibals, Groper and I, and fast friends. It was from Groper, by dint of pretending that I had never heard all his old stories before, that I ascertained the true history of Lottie Vivian, of the Portico Theatre.

"She was a pupil of old Jack Slider's—most of the successful ones have been pupils of Slider's," said Groper, "at some time or other. It's a strange thing," he went on; "she came out at the Portico, and she has had a constant engagement there ever since for the last eight years. Every farthing she earns goes to her family—to her old father, who was a big man on the Stock Exchange once, mind you," said Groper, "and to a whole family of little brothers and sisters, who are entirely dependent upon her. She is an ambitious girl, too," he added, "and they say she's going to marry Lord Wallsend."

"What! the mad millionaire!" said I.

"That's the man," said Groper.

And then Groper began to abuse the dinner, and I heard no more about Lottie Vivian from him.

I went on paying my half crowns at the Portico, and I got deeper and deeper in love with my fellow lodger, and my love interfered a good deal with my work. Then it was that I got my first commission to paint a portrait. That portrait made my fortune, and the painting of it nearly broke my heart.

It came about in this way: I got a note one day from Miss Vivian—I have it still—requesting me to call upon her on a little matter of business. I took a good deal of pains with my toilet, and then I went down stairs and knocked at the door of my fellow lodger.

There was nothing fast about Miss Vivian. She was very quietly dressed, and she came to business at once.

"Mr. Stippler," she said, "you'll excuse my asking you to come here in this informal way, but the fact is that I want to have my portrait painted. I can't afford to pay much for it. Mr. Melchisedec recommended me to you. Can you oblige me in this matter, Mr. Stippler, and," here she blushed violently, "will it be very expensive?"

"Madam," I replied with enthusiasm, "you do me too much honor in selecting me. If you permit me to paint your portrait, it'll cost you just nothing at all."

"Ah!" she answered, with a silvery laugh—don't grin, sir, it was silvery; it wasn't a bit stagey; an innocent, silvery, girlish, delicious little laugh—"that's not business, Mr. Stippler. Besides," she added, gently snubbing me, "it was Mr. Melchizedec's selection, and not mine. Let's leave compliments, and come to business. You don't know how sick of compliments I am, Mr. Stippler."

I blushed. I felt like a fool and I know I looked like one.

"Mr. Melchizedec said something about twenty guineas," said Miss Vivian.

"I shall only be too delighted," I burst in.

"Then we may consider it as settled, Mr. Stippler," said my fellow lodger. "When shall I sit to you?"

I made an appointment and the thing was done. Of course I expected that she would want to be painted in character. Nothing of the kind.

"You see, Mr. Stippler," she said, "I must take you into my confidence. I intend this portrait as a present—as a sort of surprise. I wish to give it to a gentleman whom I am about to marry." And then she blushed and gave little sigh, and I would have groaned aloud had I dared.

So she sat to me in a little simple peignoir of French muslin—tea gowns weren't invented then—and when I had posed her she said to me:

"Lord Wallsend—that is the name of the gentleman to whom I am engaged, and I tell you in confidence, Mr. Stippler—has seen me in 'Cordelia.' He thinks a great deal of my hair. You won't think me vain, Mr. Stippler, if I ask you if I may let it down?"

Of course I said that it was a capital idea. She pulled out half a dozen hairpins, and a great glory of molten gold fell in luxuriant waves upon her shoulders.

She gave me twenty sittings for that portrait. I was madly, passionately, desperately in love with her, but I never breathed a word of it. We became great friends, we talked unreservedly to each other just as if we had known each other all our lives—almost as if we had been brother and sister. I suppose it was camaraderie.

Once, and once only, I made an ass of myself.

"I must be finished by the twentieth," she had said; "the twenty-first is his birthday."

"I wish it could never be finished," I replied passionately; "I wish I could stand here painting you all my life."

The pretty smile faded from her face, and she pulled me up at once.

"You mustn't say anything to me, Mr. Stippler, if you please, that you wouldn't say if Lord Wallsend himself were here by my side."

I apologized; I felt that I was a brute.

I had lunched with Miss Vivian; it was my farewell visit to her. The portrait was finished—it was my masterpiece, Jack—and it stood upon an easel in its bright new frame in the middle of the room.

The table had been cleared; there's heaven for that!

"Play to me, Mr. Stippler," she said in a voice that went straight to my heart; "I'm terribly low spirited. Play something cheerful."

I sat down to the little cottage Erard, and I did as I was bid. I played nigger melodies; I played dance music; and then, somehow or other, I drifted to "Home, Sweet Home," and then I felt so utterly miserable that I broke down. I turned on the stool towards Lottie, and I saw that her eyes were full of tears.

"Don't, George, don't," she said; "don't go on. I can't bear it."

She called me by my Christian name for the first and the last time.

And then there came a tap at the door, and a hoarse, croaking voice grated out: "May I come in?"

"Good heavens! it's his lordship," cried Lottie Vivian, "and I am ruined!"

But I saved her, though if I hadn't been prompt she would never have married him, and she might—yes, by Jove!—perhaps have become my wife after all. Stranger things have happened. But I reassured her by a glance, and she took her cue at once.

She was an actress, remember.

I flung off my coat, I whipped out the front board of the piano, I buried my face among the hammers, and began striking single notes upon the keys.

"Come in," said Miss Vivian, and his lordship entered.

"I hope I don't intruda," he said.

And then I, too, thought of Paul Pry.

"You are always a welcome guest, Wallsend," said Miss Vivian.

And then they began to chat in whispers.

"Faugh! how the fellow smells of tobacco!" croaked Paul Pry—I mean his lordship.

"Man," he said, addressing me, "you can go."

I put on my coat.

"Where's your hat, man?" said his lordship, suspiciously.

"In the 'all, sir," I replied, carefully dropping the "h."

"I've put it at concert pitch, miss," I said; "it'll be five shillings, please," and I held out my hand. There was a grateful twinkle in her eyes as she gave me two half crowns. I have them still, those two half crowns.

I went up to my rooms and shaved off my beard and mustache. I have never spoken to Lottie—I mean Lady Wallsend—from that day to this, but she always notices me, and her husband is one of my stanchest patrons.

Lady Wallsend's carriage passed. She bowed politely to me and off went my hat.

"She's a stunner," said my nephew.

"I hope she is happy," said I, with a sigh.—London World.

A Triturator for Grinding Drugs.

The Electrical Engineer states that a triturator for grinding drugs has been ingeniously fitted up to work by an electric motor, to save labor in chemists' shops or for drug grinders. The mortar or mortars to the number required are made to revolve by the electric motor, and a very heavy porcelain pestle hangs inside, the necessary grinding being assured by the revolving of the heavy pestle by friction against the inside of the mortar.

A Weather Prophet.

Scientist—So you have followed the seas all your life? I presume you are a thorough meteorolgical prognosticator by this time.

Jack Tarre—A which?

"A—I mean you can easily foretell a gale, can't you?"

"Easy 'nough, sir. When you see the captain dancin' around an' yellin' out forty orders at onct, you kin jest make up y'r mind thet it's going ter blow."—New York Weekly.

Not the Same Party.

Pastor (to hired boy)—So I have caught you stealing apples out of the barrel.

Hired Boy—Yes, parson, I own up.

"Don't you know, Thomas, that when you steal you commit a heinous sin? Moreover, there is a being who sees all we do, before whom even I bow my head with fear and trembling. Do you know who I mean?"

"Your wife, I suppose".—Texas Siftings.

A Floral Chameleon.

A novel flower has been found at the Isthmus of Tehauntepec. This floral chameleon has a faculty of changing its color during the day. In the morning it is white, when the sun is at its zenith it is red and at night it is blue. The red, white and blue flower grows on a tree about the size of a guava tree, and only at noon does it give out any perfume.—Chicago Times.

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RICHARD HILBERT.

Victoria, June 28, 1890. jel2-1m

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The annual general meeting of the members will be held in Harmony Hall, View street, at 8 p. m., on Wednesday, the 16th instant, for the purpose of electing a board of directors and officers for the ensuing year. By order

R. WILLIAMS,
jel-td Sec. pro tem.

NOTICE.

Estate of John Charles Frederick Giesslemann, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Supreme Court of British Columbia has granted probate of the will of the deceased dated 14th day of May, 1889 to Mr. Frank Curry and Mr. George Stelly, the executors therein named.

All persons indebted to or having claims against the estate are to make payment or application for payment to the executors at the office of the undersigned.

S. PERRY MILLS,
85 Langley Street, Victoria,
Solicitor for the Executors.

Dated 2nd July, 1890. jy2-1m

NOTICE.

AS I AM SHORTLY LEAVING THE CITY, notice is hereby given that all accounts against me will be paid on presentation on or before July 31, 1890, and I also request all persons indebted to me to settle their accounts before that date. If outstanding accounts are not paid by that time they will be placed in the hands of my attorney for collection.

RICHARD HILBERT.

Victoria, June 28, je28-td

NOTICE.

HAVING PURCHASED THE STOCK AND tools of H. Findlay, 14 Store street, I am prepared to do all kinds of blacksmith and carriage work, Scotch blacksmith, machine and rubber tires for wringers. Tools bought and sold. JAMES MORRISON.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Part of Subdivision Lot 3 and another part (2 acres) of section XXXII Esquimalt District.

A CERTIFICATE of INDEFEASIBLE TITLE to the above lands will issued to George Thomson on the 10th day of July, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lands or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria, 10th April, 1890. ap10-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 23 in the City of Victoria.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall register the above lot in the name of Robert Ferrie McLennan and Edward John McFeely as owners, in fee, as tenants in common, in pursuance of an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, made on the 28th day of March 1890, by the Hon. Mr. Justice Drake, unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within three months from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office
Victoria, 2nd April, 1890. ap2-3m

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Part of Section 20 Range VIII, Quamichan District.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE TITLE to a portion of the above mentioned section will be issued to Henry Fry, junior, on the 18th day of July, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in such portion of said section or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria, 16th April 1890. ap16-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 38, 40, 41, 47, 267, 1100 the N. ½ of Lot 1100 the south ½ of Lot 74, and parts of Lots 277 and 278 in the City of Victoria.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE title to the above mentioned lands will be issued to Walter Scott Chambers on the 8th day of August, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the unersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lands, or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria, 7th May, 1890. my15-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase Section 13, Township 8, Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District, containing 640 acres.

THOMAS MATHEWS,
BYRON HOLMES WEST,
THOMAS McFARLANE GRAHAM,
JAMES PUSEY.

May 15th 1890. my15-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT sixty days after date, I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following tract of land, commencing at a stake on shore line, about two and a half miles east south east, of Bonilla point, running north 10 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 10 chains; thence following shore line to point of commencement, containing 100 acres, more or less. JOSIAH JAQUES.

Victoria, May 19th 1890. my19-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 320 acres of land near Mission Valley Canyon division of Yale district, commencing at post, being south west corner of Wishard's purchase claim, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 40 chains thence north 80 chains to the place of commencement. ROBERT MUNSON.

May 19th 1890. my20

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that from and after the 10th day of July next, all parties whose properties have sewerage connection with the Johnson Street Ravine, will be prosecuted.

By order

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Hall, June 30th, 1890. jun30-tf

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that from and after the 1st day of July next, the "Consolidated Thistle By-Law" will be enforced and that the owner, lessee, tenant, occupier, or agent for the owner or lessee of any land on which thistles are found not cut down will be prosecuted.

By order

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Hall, June 30th, 1890. jun30-tf

MUNICIPAL

Tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned between this date and Friday, the 18th day of August next, at 4 p.m., for supplying and placing in position in the City Hall Tower, in good running order,

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Tenders to include full descriptions of clocks submitted, with catalogue of prices thereof attached.

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By order of the Hall Committee,

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City Clerk's Office, June 4th, 1890. jun

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THE MONKS OF OKA.

An Order of Mediæval Priests in the Heart of Canada.

A few years ago the provincial Government was induced to grant to a band of priests newly arrived a lot of land on the banks of the Ottawa near its junction with the St. Lawrence, and there they established themselves as the Canadian headquarters of the Trappist order in the Monastery of Oka. They at once devoted themselves to the cultivation of the soil and to teaching the surrounding farmers the methods of scientific agriculture. They erected silos, introduced the use of artificial fertilizers, and new methods in dairying and stock raising, till now the district of Oka has become one of the best agricultural sections in the province.

The story of their lives reads like a chapter from the annals of the early church. The monks rise at one o'clock every morning, and after repeating the office of the Virgin they arrange their cells, which measure five by six feet, and contain a wooden bedstead, with a hard straw mattress and pillow. A discipline and a crucifix complete the furniture. Then they have an hour for meditation, after which the chapter takes place. All repair to the chapter room and each in turn publicly confesses his willful and other faults against the rule, and if any one should have happened to notice a fault in the penitent he will accuse him of it aloud, and if it is acknowledged a penance is imposed which consists of flagellation or some other bodily mortification. After chapter the rules are explained, the matins are sung, and finally all attend the daily high mass at eight o'clock.

Then they proceeded to work, at this season cutting down trees in the forest and sawing them into cordwood. This continues till two o'clock in the afternoon, when they all repair to the monastery to examine their consciences, and at 2:30 they take their first and only meal of the day. A tin plate, wooden fork and spoon, and a pocket knife constitute the table appliances. Each monk receives a plate of soup made of vegetables and water and a plate of boiled rice. On Christmas day they receive two meals and during Lent the meal is taken at four o'clock.

After this somewhat frugal meal work is resumed, and is only interrupted for the singing of the office. The monks never speak, excepting as they pass each other, when they exclaim "Memento mori"—remember death—and this they repeat in unison around a half-dug grave.

Visitors are welcomed, and many make the monastery a regular retreat, for whose accommodation the monks are now about to erect a new building.

This is the severest order of monkhood in America, and it is a curious comment on the conservatism of the church that in one hour's ride from a large city one can come upon such mediæval scenes.—Montreal Letter.

In the President's Room.

"You would be surprised," said the guard in the president's room at the Capitol, "to know how often visitors come in here and, after looking about at the general effect of the furnishing and decorations, which, you observe, are red, ask:

"'And where can we find the Blue room we have heard so much about?'

"They have mixed up the Capitol and the White House in their minds, of course. Constantly people inquire of me where the president's living quarters are—whether at this end of the Capitol or the other."

"Are people permitted to come into the president's room, sit down and stay as long as they like?" asked the reporter.

"Most emphatically not. The room would be used as a sort of club by the loungers of the Capitol if we permitted anything of that sort. The time allowed people to stay is five minutes. If visitors overstay that limit they are politely requested to leave. Why, I have known folks to come here and bring their lunch, evidently with the intention of eating it on the center table, or of picknicking on the sofas. Such persons are apt to think it an outrage that they should not be allowed so trifling an accommodation. This is the most comfortable room in the Capitol, and it is not surprising that people should want to take a rest here incidentally to the fatigue of sight seeing. We have to devote our attention chiefly to repressing visitors of the sort I speak of and to looking out for vandals who want to cut the tassels off the chairs as mementoes, to take slices out of the sofas for the same purpose or to snip pieces off the curtain to remember the president's room by. Women frequently come in here, and, taking off their bonnets, prink to the full of the five minutes allowed them before the long mirrors."—Washington Star.

Selling Underwear in New Mexico.

This letter is from one of our traveling men whom we sent down in New Mexico recently to open up an untried territory. When he left he had quite a bundle of expense money, but about two weeks later he wired us for more funds. We sent him the cash, as we did in another two weeks, when he telegraphed for more. Last week he wired us for a third installment. Up to that time we had not received a single order from him, and I at once wrote to say that we did not begrudge him a reasonable amount of expense money, but at the same time we would like to see some results in the shape of substantial orders. This is his reply: "You sent me down here into New Mexico to travel for you. To travel I must have money. I am selling underwear, and how can you expect me to send you orders when I am the only man within a thousand miles of this place who ever wore underclothing?"—Chicago Herald

WELL-FORMED CHILDREN.

Facts and Conclusions Drawn from an Investigation of the Schools.

The common school teacher finds perfectly healthy children are a rarity. Seldom will 10 per cent. of her class of fifty be found free from any physical defect whatever and with true development for their age. Of these it must be regretfully admitted that the smallest number are Americans. The best formed school children and the healthiest are the Germans and Bohemians, the next of Irish parentage. Nowhere, as in the south and west of Ireland, where children run free of care all the year round, hatless, shoeless, living on the coarsest, plainest food, and yet with some measure of school restrictions, can such specimens of perfect physical beauty in form and face be found. Glance over any school room, with its upturned faces inquisitively questioning the thought of the observer, and but few really fine featured children are to be found after the age of 10 is passed.

When a handsome face, answering all the laws that govern beauty, is discovered, it is invariably synonymous with good health in its possessor, and all too often of foreign parentage or birth. For these two defects, the want of good health and good looks and the added one of grace, in the majority of public school children, one is naturally led to think of a cause, but instead of one there are many. The primary one may be found in the following remarks of Francis Willard: "Women's everlasting befrilled, bedizened and bedragged style of dress is today doing more harm to children unborn, born and dying than all other causes that compel public attention."

Class recitations where pupils stand are now in most schools done away with, and this is fortunate, since pupils were sometimes kept an unconscionably long time on the floor, resulting in evils one dreads to think of, and unfortunate in that the children have all the session long no change of position. But the teacher who insists on having her troublesome, uneasy little fellows stand for a half hour has much to answer for, as well as one who argues strongly on the abolition of the recess. One cannot but be sympathetic with the teacher. If she does not keep her pupils like so many trained dummies she is a poor disciplinarian and subject to dismissal. If her class does not know every date from Adam to Harrison, and the location of all cross road towns from Siberia to Patagonia, she is not keeping up that modern bugbear, the "course of study."

Dr. Anderson gives a list of the most common physical defects found in pupils in the public schools. They are summarized as:

Head—Droops forward; carried a little to one side; chin raised too high.

Shoulders—Round, sloping, stooping and uneven; one lower than the other.

Thorax—One side better developed than the other; the diameter at the base too short.

Upper Back—Right shoulder blade too prominent in right handed people.

Spine—Bends too far forward from between the shoulders.

Waist—Too narrow; abdominal muscles weak.

Hips—Thrown too far forward.

Arms—Forearm better developed than the upper arm.

Leg—Better developed than thigh.

Thigh—Inside and back poorly developed.

Any person entering the examining room of a gymnasium for boys would be astonished at the large number that have one or even more of these defects, and with girls this is found almost universal. While with boys indulging in frequent play there will be found good muscular development of the lower limbs, the trunk, that part holding the vital organs, will but occasionally be found perfect on examination. As every one knows, poor circulation is a common fault, and can be remedied by exercise properly taken.—Boston Herald.

Queer Happenings in Cemeteries.

It is the drawback of suburban cemeteries that they must be kept under lock and key. Whoever sees the uses they are put to could not think otherwise. One day in Mount Auburn a young woman was noticed making a careful toilet. She had a small hand glass propped against the sculpture of a marble monument. Her long hair was down and being elaborately combed before the mirror. That same day a youth read aloud, with oratorical gestures, from a manuscript, evidently some graduation paper, and a couple, evidently husband and wife, ventilated matrimonial grievances. Last autumn a newly wedded pair neglected the closing signal. When they reached the gates no guardian or official was to be found. All were gone for the night. Even the secretary's office was closed. The florist opposite fortunately heard the clamor they made. He brought a ladder, perhaps two, and passers by enjoyed the spectacle of bride and groom climbing over the high wall.—Cambridge Tribune.

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GENERAL MIDDLETON.

General MIDDLETON is to retire from the command of the Canadian Militia in October, and Ministerial organs, it is said, are loudly calling for a Canadian officer to take his place. Quite right. Mere personal bravery is no recommendation for a high command. The Northwest rebellion should have been put down by the Mounted Police, and some few local companies of volunteers, and yet MIDDLETON entered upon this campaign with all the pomp and circumstance of a modern XERXES. It is perfectly clear that, however gallant a soldier Gen. MIDDLETON may be personally, his military capacity might easily be outdone by a civilian of fair common sense. By all means let a Canadian be appointed to the command of the Canadian militia. Matters could go no worse, and indeed might go better. A young Canadian officer unburdened with precedents and traditions, would fashion out a military force unique in its way but none the less effective for that.

A POET WANTED.

A new poet is wanted. TENNYSON sings no more and BROWNING is dead. A name is hinted as that of the coming man, RUDYARD KIPLING. This party is an Anglo-Indian, born of British parents; is about twenty-six years of age. He has written some fugitive verses, it is said, "which display a fire and verve worthy of Tennyson." We may not suppose, however, that KIPLING is the coming poet. Rather may we regard him to "TOMMY ATKINS" what BRET HARTE is to the California pioneer. The life of the poet, like that of the policeman, is not a happy one. Popular taste fluctuates. To-day he is on the crest of the wave of popularity, to-morrow he is wallowing in the trough of the sea of neglect. The first part of "Childe Harold" made BYRON famous; ten years later the closing cantos of "Don Juan" damned him in the estimation of his countrymen. They educed a tainted picture from the perusal of his productions. Don Juan tainted all the rest. BYRON was credited with being an erratic genius merely. Finally a Frenchman, TAINE, pronounced BYRON the greatest Englishman of the 19th century. The thick-witted Briton, whose stolid morality had been outraged by BYRON's laxer efforts, awoke at this announcement, and began to study BYRON anew. Result, BYRON has been granted a high place in the list of British poets. The San Francisco Call, remarking on how few people are competent judges of poetry, says:

"Somebody in authority declares that a work is great. Everybody accepts the verdict without investigation and a reputation is made. For two centuries and a half children of our race have been made to read "Paradise Lost," though for bathos, pretension, absurdity of thought and scarcity of thought it is without parallel in the language. So, forty years ago, some critic, who wanted to show his acumen, announced that Scott's poems were doggerel. Forthwith the whole English-speaking people accepted the dogma that, while Scott could write novels, he was a poor hand at verse. It is only in our day that persons of taste have realized that our tongue contains few poems equal in vigor and rhythm and dramatic power to parts of the "Lay of the last Minstrel," "Marmion" and "The Lady of the Lake." In the long run merit is recognized. Good books live and bad books die; but sometimes it takes a long time to discriminate between the good and the bad."

ENGLAND VS. CHINA.

"Marquis TSENG, whose sudden death was recently announced, kept a diary that," says the San Francisco Call, "affords some interesting reading. Before going to England as minister, he had an interview with LI HUNG-CHANG, who made some plain assertions on international questions. He maintained that China should ally herself closely with England in order to check the machinations of Russia. The English defense of Turkey he put down without equivocation to a desire to protect India and to snub Russia. England and Russia are like 'a tiger and a wolf.' As to the Russians, their object is at present to gain possession of the Mahommedan countries in Central Asia, so as to be within striking distance of both India and China. This is as displeasing to the English as to the Chinese, and it should therefore be the object of the Chinese to make friends with England. These declarations reveal China's policy. She expects trouble on the completion of the Trans-Siberian railway, if it has not already been inaugurated by the attitude of Corea, and has pushed ahead the survey of a railway toward the northern border, a work in which British engineers are co-operating, as is shown by the tidings from Valdivostock announcing the completion of the preliminary survey for a line through Mongolia and that the Chinese Government is desirous of expediting the completion of railroads to the Russian frontier.

In the policy of England toward China, we may readily conceive that she would sooner than not see the per capita tax on Chinese citizens removed. Unquestionably there was a movement on foot last year to that effect. DEWDNEY never made the remarks that he did without an ulterior motive.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Interest in the case of MRS. MAYBRICK, now an inmate of the Woking prison, has been revived by the claim that evidence has been discovered corroborating her version of Mr. MAYBRICK's death, and that the Home Secretary has promised to give the matter careful consideration. What an everlasting rebuke to judicial prescience it would be if Secretary MATTHEWS should discover in this alleged new evidence sufficient grounds to warrant her pardon.

The British census will be taken next April. The work of the enumerators will be very simple. No questions that can give offense to anybody will be asked, and the one great aim will be to arrive at the number of the Queen's subjects. It has been estimated that the population of the British Empire at the beginning of the present year was nearly 328,000,000, of whom 38,125,000 live in England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales. The census of the great city of London will be taken in a single day, and the whole vast work will be done with incredible rapidity.

Premier SALISBURY is in a quandary, and to stave off a collapse of his Government is represented as having tried to reorganize his cabinet. Lord HARTINGTON is said to have declined the premiership coupled with power to appoint three Liberal Unionists in the ministry, SALISBURY himself taking the foreign portfolio, and from present indications this would give him about all he could attend to. The Unionists consider that a coalition cabinet is inevitable. HARTINGTON, however, intimated that in the course of time he might reconsider his determination, and if he does it is possible that CHAMBERLAIN and Sir HENRY JAMES will enter the cabinet with him.

At the weekly meeting of the Toronto Single Tax Club, held on the 27th ult., a report was read from Victoria, British Columbia, stating that an Act has passed Parliament permitting the assessment of improvements at one-half their value. The following resolution was moved by Mr. PHILIP THOMPSON, and seconded by Mr. S. S. PURSEY: "That the secretary be instructed to write to the single tax friends of Victoria, B. C., congratulating them on their successful agitation in favor of the taxing of land values and also on the passage of a law to assess improvements at only one-half their value." There is the basis here for a two column editorial by the Colonist writer on the imbecility of the B. C. Government in permitting such a principle to become law. The point has evidently been overlooked by our contemporary.

After congratulating themselves that they had outwitted the British, and got the best of the bargain in the partition of East Africa, the Germans are alarmed over a discovery made by one of their countrymen, WILSUR the Egyptologist, who has found that in ancient times there were canals around the Nile cataracts. This discovery, of the authenticity of which there is no doubt, suggests the possibility of the re-opening of the Soudan to the British by the restoration of the canals, whereby the possessions of Germany in Eastern Africa would become practically valueless as compared with their present promise of revenue. With an uninterrupted navigable Nile and an undisputed protectorate over Zanzibar, England would be enabled to control the trade of the most fruitful portions of Africa with marketing facilities which would throw the German companies hopelessly out of competition.

Bulgaria is again attracting considerable attention. Major PANITZA's execution for conspiring to overthrow the Government is followed by the rumor that Prince FERDINAND, now at Carlsbad, will not return to Sofia. STAMBULOFF, the Prime Minister, is suspected of intriguing with Russia while ostensibly urging the powers to recognize FERDINAND as the permanent ruler of the principality. The Porte is said to have sent envoys to Berlin, Vienna, and London regarding the demand for Bulgarian independence concurrent with Russia's demand for the immediate payment of 30,000,000 francs due on the war indemnity, and Russia is reported to be preparing to back up her demand by sending her Black Sea fleet into Turkish waters. Sebastopol and other strongholds, reviving recollections of the Crimean war, have been strengthened and garrisoned by the sapper and miner companies of the Baltic and Black Sea coasts. Coincident with these reports regarding Bulgaria is the declaration that the conflict between Turkish soldiers and Armenians at Erzeroum may lead to an open rebellion all over Armenia, in which event Russia would undoubtedly take sides with the Christians and seize Erzeroum, if not the whole of Armenia, a large force being within easy marching distance of the seat of trouble.

SINGLE TAX AND FREE TRADE.

TO THE EDITOR.—I notice with pleasure your consistent and continued advocacy of practical free trade. This naturally involves a support of the broad principles of single tax. For it is obvious that a revenue must be raised either by indirect taxation (in which case, probably, protective import duties is the least of evils) or by direct taxation—a tax upon lands being the most equitable and productive. I should, however, like to see the Opposition in our Local Legislature take a bold and decided stand as to their true principles of taxation, abolition of protection and direct taxation upon lands. To begin with, will they promote a bill which will prohibit the absolute sale of public lands still held by the Provincial Legislature. Probably many gentlemen upon both sides of the House deplore the fact that vast tracts of land are held only by speculators for high values, such lands neither contributing (except in an infinitessimal degree) toward public burdens, not yielding one cent value of material wealth to the Province. Now if these lands were sold only upon condition of cultivation, and the deed withheld until those conditions were certified by Government surveyors to be complied with, or upon rack rent payable every three years, such rack rent to be equal to ten per cent. of the actual value of the land, it would cause speculation in Government land to cease.

The great need of British Columbia is agriculture. Some very inexperienced and short-sighted politicians affirm that a greater need is manufactures, that is to say, they declare that to produce articles for which the raw materials must be imported will add to the wealth of the Province more than to produce articles for which the raw materials lie close at hand! The mighty forests of lumber, the rivers and sea teeming with fish, the virgin soil ready to be cultivated, and the treasure beneath the soil, must give place and humbly bow before a few local manufacturers, who, with all local aid and state protection can never compete with the more highly favored foreigner in the neutral markets of the world. Here are tens of thousands of acres of fertile country lying absolutely idle because the Government refuses to stop gambling in public lands, declines to aid immigrants and settlers by granting or selling cheaply agricultural land, or giving reasonable information concerning the same.

I submit that the electors of this Province should at all future elections demand of the candidate seeking parliamentary honors, first and foremost, their views concerning the disposal of public land, and the remedies such candidates propose to apply for present existing evils. A spirited but resolute land policy now would be the financial salvation of British Columbia. Will the Government or the Opposition lead in this enterprise. FREE TRADE.

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2 lots on Toronto Street, $2,700.
40 lots on Esquimalt Road, from $225 up.
House and lot on Gorge Road, $5,250.
2 lots on Cook Street for $2,500.
1 lot on Niagara Street, $750.
2 lots on Michigan Street for $3,000.
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PORT ANGELES VISITED.

A Party of Victorians Do the Thriving City —Its Progress.

Over a hundred Victorians went over to Port Angeles on the morning of the 4th of July by the steamer Olympian, and returned by the North Pacific. Among those who availed themselves of a quick glance at Port Angeles were Ald. Holland, H. Carmichael, J. Cook, H. Waller, D. McIntosh, Rev. Dr. Reid, R. T. Williams, T. Shotbolt, E. J. Salmon and many others.

The trip over was a very pleasant one, and the short run enjoyed greatly. The city was found to have grown considerably since last visited by many of the excursionists. The people were found celebrating their national holiday with a vim, and a hearty welcome was extended to the visitors to participate in the festivities, friendliness being a feature of the occasion.

A great deal of work has been done both by the corporation and private citizens, and the city is growing fast. The contract for the new water works has been let. Water will be taken from Ennis Creek, a stream about ten times the size of Goldstream, at an elevation of about 200 feet, at a distance of three miles from the town. The water is beautifully clear, cold and extremely soft. There are two very handsome natural parks at Angeles, at which there was a large attendance of people to witness the various sports. The baseball game was a contest between two local nines, both of whom play very well. The two natural parks are situated at the western end of the town. Through each a stream of water flows about the size of Goldstream. It is to be regretted that one of Victoria's local teams did not go over and capture the $100 prize. The Angeles team is a very fair one, but probably not so good as the Victorians. The census report gives Angeles 1,300 people, an increase of one hundred per cent. during the last year. The place is prosperous and is building up rapidly.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

Mayor Hilbert, of Nanaimo, is in the city.

Miss F. C. Brooks, of England, is at Roccabella.

Miss McAvoy, of San Francisco, is the guest of Mrs. Englehardt, Church Hill.

W. R. McKenzie, traveling auditor of the Union Pacific, was in town last night and left for Vancouver this morning.

C. A. Godson, traveler for Richardson, Heathorn & Jones, returned last night from a business trip to the mainland.

Frank Bennett left for Kamloops this morning to be present at the wedding ceremony of his brother John, which takes place there to-morrow.

CITY POLICE COURT.

His honor, the police magistrate, was on the bench again this morning, after a day's rest and disposed of the following cases:

Hattie Spaulding, charged with being an inmate of a house of ill fame, was fined $50. Bertha Baker, one of the same crowd, pleaded guilty to being found drunk and was fined $5.

Mary, an Indian woman, on the same charge, was greeted with the stereotyped "$5 to be paid forthwith."

David Sellick, a young boy, who pleaded guilty to the charge of vagrancy yesterday, was given six months in the common jail with the understanding that he would be removed to the reformatory.

Stanley and Publishers Who Make False Announcements.

By the Commercial Cable to the "Herald."]

LONDON, May 16, 1890.—The following notice was mailed last night to Messrs. Charles Scribner's Sons, and I have been shown the original signed copy:

"NOTICE TO THE AMERICAN PUBLIC:

"I beg distinctly to state that the only publishers in America who have any authority to publish anything whatever of mine are **Messrs. Scribner's Sons** and Messrs. Harper Brothers. My new and shortly forthcoming work, **'In Darkest Africa,'** is exclusively in the hands of Messrs. Charles Scribner's Sons, and I cannot too emphatically condemn the conduct of a firm calling itself the Historical Publishing Company, who, in the name of truth and justice, put forth an advertisement headed, 'Look Out! Do Not Be Deceived!' which is made up of most barefaced falsehoods.

"The work which they announce as **'Heroes of the Dark Continent,' I repudiate entirely.** They say it contains all my forthcoming work and a great deal more. **I emphatically deny this Statement.**

"I have simply to say once for all that these people can by no possibility publish anything of mine but what they have **dishonestly appropriated from my previous works;** and being an American citizen and therefore holding my copyright there, I shall in due time take proper measures to protect myself against such **unprincipled robbery.**

"I am aware that several other publishers are announcing **spurious works** purporting to be mine. I therefore think it high time that all my good friends in America should be put on their guard, and bear in mind that **my authorized work** will be called **'In Darkest Africa,'** in two volumes, and will be published only by Messrs. Chas. Scribner's Sons. (Signed)

HENRY M. STANLEY.

HOME NEWS.

What is Going on or Happening in Various Portions of the Dominion.

M. J. Granger, license inspector, Belleville, died on Wednesday from hemorrhage of the lungs.

The Provincial Natural Gas Company struck another well at Port Colborne Friday with a production of 3000 cubic feet daily. When the well is torpedoed they expect its production will be increased to 5,000,000 feet.

Mining matters are booming at Rat Portage, Ont., but all are very much excited and interested over the Mather injuction case, which is tried in Toronto on the 28th.

Miss Sibylla Lismer, of Mildmay, Ont., aged 18, got beyond her depth while bathing in the Saugeen river near here to-day and was drowned.

Geo. Browner, a Quebec carter, found some time ago in the cellar of a house an old Lutheran Bible printed in French, published in Amsterdam in 1669. It bears on the title page the signature of S. Desmarets, professor of theology in the University of Holland. It has been placed for safe keeping in the vaults of Caisse Dehominie.

Hon. John Carling has not yet received a reply from Sir Charles Tupper in relation to the 2,500 Heligolanders, whom the Minister of Agriculture is desirous of securing for Canada, if they persist in their intention of emigrating from the island in the event of the Anglo-German agreement being carried out.

The cornerstones of four factories were laid at Mimico Saturday afternoon. A special train went out from Toronto with several hundred people, and a free lunch was provided on the grounds. There is plenty of capital in the concern, and a strong effort is to be made to build up a great manufacturing suburb. If it fails of becoming this, no doubt it will be mainly due to speculation in real estate, which has put the price of land in the vicinity up to an absurdly high figure. There was a good deal of speech-making and prophesying.

It is stated that Hon. Mr. Joly, ex-Premier of Quebec, will join Mr. Mercier's cabinet in place of Col. Rhodes, and that a local member will resign in favor of Joly. Should this arrangement be carried out it will meet with the approval not merely of the Liberals and Protestants of this Province, but with that of a large portion of Conservatives and Bleus.

The Toronto World suggests the break-up of the Liberal party over the trade question, mainly on the ground that Blake, as it says, does not favor commercial union, and further suggests the possibility of the Conservative party adopting him as leader when Sir John goes.

Railway building operations are booming at present in the Northwest. Two hundred men left Winnipeg on Friday by special train, with a grading outfit to work on the Calgary and Edmonton road.

Charles Raymond, a Cochrane ranch foreman, was drowned a Lethbridge while driving horses across the Bell River.

Arrangements are being made by the mayor to have Prince George visit Toronto in September to open the Industrial Exhibition. The Prince is the second son of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales, and is in command of H. M. S. Thrush, of the North Atlantic squadron. He was in Toronto several years ago with the Marquis of Lorne.

Orders have been issued from Toronto that every seat won by the Conservatives in the late provincial elections must be contested. A start was made yesterday when protests were entered in Essex and North Renfrew. Algoma East, Welland, Simcoe East, North Ontario, Lincoln, Hamilton and East Elgin will be attended to later.

Vino Moscatelli Italiano.

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Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar. *

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What's the Reason?

The causes of summer complaint, diarrhœa, dysentry, cholera morbus, etc., are the excessive heat, eating green fruit, over exertion, impure water and sudden chill. Dr. Fowler's Wild Strawberry is an infallible and prompt cure for all bowel complaints from whatever cause. *

HORRORS IN DAHOMEY.

Shocking Things Dr. Bayol Saw—Fiendish Amazons.

A letter from Paris, giving details of the adventures of Dr. Bayol, the Governor of Kotonou, who was imprisoned by the King of Dohomey, appears in the Vossische Zeitung. Dr. Bayol himself was not ill-treated, but was forced to witness the most horrible executions, and was closely watched night and day by three of the most important chiefs. He was forced to be present at the execution of his secretary and his interpreter, and was a spectator of the sacrifice at one time of eighty-four human beings and at another of forty-two. The victims were bound, mutilated in a horrible manner, and then, still alive, hung up by the heels. Then their bodies were opened with large round knives and the intestines taken out, after which the corpses were thrown into a "place of skulls," where in forty-eight hours they were reduced by birds of prey to skeletons.

Dr. Bayol was every time compelled to view each corpse, while the executioners carefully turned the heads of their victims toward him. Upon one occasion he desired to buy off some negroes, whom he recognized as protegés from Porto Novo, but the king angrily refused to allow it. Every day his dusky majesty danced before the doctor, executing steps and jumps which would have been highly entertaining under other circumstances. At these times the King wore sandals and a sort of Grecian cap on his head, and six Amazons danced with him.

The Amazons Dr. Bayol describes as very fiends. One day the doctor witnessed a spectacle which he will never forget. At a sign from the King 500 Amazons rushed upon a living ox and tore it into pieces in a few seconds; then each, with a piece of raw flesh in their mouth, marched off singing, while five of their number held the skin and head of their victim aloft in triumph. In festal garments they witnessed from the roofs of the neighboring huts the human sacrifices of the next day and laughed heartily. They always appear perfectly resigned and go quietly to death when their turn comes. The king is very suspicious and would not sign the letter written to the President of the French Republic. Dr. Bayol's return to the coast was extremely dangerous, for he had no passport and was therefore obliged, in spite of illness, to march more than fifty miles in one day through country with which he was unacquainted. On arriving at Kotonou he heard of the death of the king, whom had he still been at Dahomey, he would have probably been accused of poisoning.

There are fewer more severe test of feminine grace than that found in riding a bicycle, yet the number of young women who bravely mount their two-wheeled steeds in the parks on pleasant afternoons is still increasing. The novice willingly consents to a certain probation of awkward and ungainly gyrations in the hope that she may in time become mistress of her wheel and know something of the poetry of motion. The grace and ease which some of the riders of experience display while spinning along the drives are indeed triumps of skill, and it requires sound nerves as well as good muscles. The girl "who ought to have been born a boy" usually succeeds the best, and she glides along almost with the ease of a bird on the wing. The timid girl never attempts to ride.—N.Y. Tribune.

Self-wringing mops at McLennan & McFeely's, 77 Yates street. *

"Lincrurta Walton," the most popular of all wall decorations at John Weiler's 51 to 55 Fort street. *

F. Richards, the Champion Boot Black, formerly with W. Whittaker, has taken an 18 months' lease of the Gem barber shop window, 74 Yates street, opposite the Poodle Dog. Call and get a patent leather shine. *

Steam Laundry, telephone No. 497. Branch offices, 74 Yates street and Trounce alley. *

Carload of chairs, cots, cribs, desks and general furniture just arrived at J. Hastie & Co's, Government street. *

Baby carriages of latest styles just received by John Weiler, 51 to 55 Fort street. *

Merchants Luncheon.

From 11:30 until 2 o'clock and Lowenbrau at the Bank Exchange. *

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LOT.	BLOCK.	AMOUNT OF TAXES.	COSTS.	TOTAL.
19	12	$576 80	$63 44	$640 24
E. two thirds 24	3	67 20	7 40	74 60
One-half 25	3	89 10	9 80	98 90
W. one-half 26	3	122 80	13 50	136 30
33	3	51 00	5 61	56 61
Part 87	26	70 38	7 73	78 11
145	V	124 08	13 64	137 72
377	4	117 20	12 89	130 09
Part sub. 4 of 618, 619	M	31 00	3 41	34 41
Part sub 8 of 602, 603	M	33 44	3 68	37 12
East part 876	J	27 56	3 03	30 59
East one-half 878	J	37 30	4 10	41 40
940	42	48 60	5 34	53 94
991	9	75 00	8 25	83 25
992	9	36 60	4 03	40 63
993	9	22 20	2 44	24 64
997	17	35 50	3 90	39 40
1007	17	23 40	2 57	25 97
Sub. 13 of 1257	T	46 80	5 15	51 95
Sub. 8 of 1694	56	7 60	84	8 44
Sub 34 of 1694	56	10 50	1 15	11 65
Sub. 4 of 1772	61	27 50	3 03	30 53
WORK ESTATE.				
4	D	21 90	2 41	$24 31
10	W	77 60	8 54	86 14
SPRING RIDGE.				
A	64	6 00	66	6 66
B	64	6 00	66	6 66
7	69 to 72	3 90	43	4 33
8	"	3 90	43	4 33
9	"	3 90	43	4 33
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11	"	4 80	53	5 33
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18	"	3 90	43	4 33
19	"	3 90	43	4 33
20	"	42 60	4 68	47 28
43	"	34 80	3 83	38 63
48	78	3 60	40	4 00
51	"	44 90	4 94	49 84
FINLAYSON ESTATE.				
1	B	48 00	5 28	53 28
2	B	25 20	2 77	27 97
5 ACRE LOTS.				
One-half of Sub 23	II	18 98	2 08	21 06
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City Hall, Victoria, June 2, 1890. CHARLES KENT, Collector.

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The Early Days on the Fraser—The Indian War at Hill's Bar—Judge Begbie Has a Corner—The Raid on Sitka—Trying to Make a Russian Drunk.

XII.

"You, youngsters, have an easy time of it now, with the country all opened up, but I would'nt trade with any of you. It seems only a little time ago since Victoria city was a log fort in the bush, all the thousands of little white tents reached off to Esquimalt. The boats came in loaded down with men, and could hardly get away for want of hands to work them. Hundreds were setting off in canoes every week for the Fraser diggings and I doubt there were scores of them never got there. What with the tide rips and overfalls, the gales blowing out of little bits of valleys, the great shoals and the surf off the Fraser Sand Heads, there is little wonder that many of the boys laid their bones away to bleach without ever getting to the Fraser Canyon. You can't tell what that word meant in the old days. You just pass it an hour or two by train, but fancy what it must have been with no roads, no trails, no supplies, and no knowledge of the country. For the few who got in there, there was gold, such as was never seen the like of. No wonder there was a Gold Fever—why, the river is simply paved with gold to this day if you could only get it.

"I was on Hill's Bar, just two miles below Fort Yale—one of the first in there, and making an ounce and a half a day. In May we had to get some regular way of running things, so we appointed a committee to be government on the Bar. Then Governor Douglas comes to start up a sort of opposition, Queen's laws and all that, but we did'nt pay much heed to it at first. The next thing was the Indians got up and wanted to run us out of the country. Men's bodies would come drifting down past the bar without heads, or with their legs and arms off, and it seemed to be kind of unhealthy for prospectors up in the Big Canyon. At least forty of us under Capt. Rouse set off to try and get even. Up at Boston Bar over a hundred joined, and we pushed on with blood in our eyes youngsters—we was prospecting gore. We burnt the ranches all the way up and killed all we found of the Indians. When we got to the head of the canyon we made it pretty inconvenient to be a Siwash, I can tell you, we was fighting there whole hours. Afterwards Snyder's gang went up and made a treaty at Long Bar. They managed to make peace with the tribes all along the river before they were starved out and had to get down to Port Yale for grub. I suppose that was the only Indian war there ever was in British Columbia, and it was just wonderful the way old Judge Begbie made the boys understand his way of running the country. Over in California there was shooting and lynching all the time, but on this side the old judge got up a monopoly in hanging. No one cared to do any shooting, because it was too hard to light out afterwards and perhaps have to let go a good claim. There is no time to tell you all about the fuss between the magistrates at Hill's Bar and Yale and how they sent in troops from the coast, and we gave the chiefs a champagne supper at Hill's Bar and sent 'em home happy. Well, I got back to Victoria as ragged as an old tramp and as rich as the best of them. That was the time to scatter gold dust around. It would just open your eyes if I told you how we blew it all in, but it's no use putting you up to mischief—not that you need much teaching.

"Let me get a pipe light and I'll tell you about the Sitka spree. I don't suppose there was such a bit of fun in all my life as that, and I've seen considerable too, mark you. Tom Coffin ran the thing—Old Tom Coffin—a rare chap he was. He fitted out a schooner here at Victoria, loaded up chuck full of whiskey and all sorts of liquor. We sailed some time in the fall, and put in first at Stickeen—no town there then like there is now—then we made for Sitka. On the way we emptied the water barrels, sprung a leak with a big auger, set too at the pumps and put in, flag half mast, union down, and as doleful as though we'd all lost our mother-in-law. The Russians used to hate any ships to come in and they ordered us out, but we said we'd got to caulk and water, and they saw no way out of it. Our scheme was to get all the chief men aboard, make 'em drunk, and then land and prospect for furs in the store houses. Make a Russian drunk! Well we no more knew in those days what a Russian's made of than you young chaps do now.

"The Governor was a prince something or other, and they say there's a half-breed daughter of his running round in Victoria now, just a common drunk, who gets in gaol every now and then for selling liquor to Indians. After the purchase of Alaska, a white man married her and brought her down here. He set up a saloon in town, and afterwards she robbed one of the boarders of all his dust, and her man got two years in gaol for it. They still call her the Russian Princess. Well, as I was saying, we invited the Governor and his people to a great dinner aboard, and gave them lots of mixed drinks. They ate and drank and had a good time all the evening, and when the time came to go they were all sober, and we were as drunk as blazes. Next day we all felt pretty bad about it, and we swore we wouldn't get taken in that way again. But we were scared of being driven out of Sitka before we got another chance at our scheme; so one night when it came on to blow we lifted the anchor a bit and let the schooner drive hard and fast on a mud bank. We went ashore to prospect the ground, and when we found out where the furs were stored we had little doubt that the thing would pan out pretty well. Next thing some of us got chumming with the Greek priest and found out that the Russians hadn't tasted white bread for months. So we got up a fire on the beach and baked a whole sack of flour in some gold pans we had. What with that and the wild game and canned truck we made a bigger spread than the first, and asked the Governor and the priest and the rest of them aboard to spend the evening. Well, they promised to come, and all that day we were trying to make out how to get Russians drunk. We mixed half a five-gallon keg of Hudson's Bay rum, thirty over proof, with a dozen of English porter, and concluded that if that failed we'd give it up. For ourselves we got water colored with burnt sugar to look like the real stuff. Well, they came aboard, seven of them, and drank all the rum and porter, and whiskey punch, and cocktails, and beer, and champagne; they drank all they could lay their hands on, they played and sang and had a gorgeous time generally until midnight, and then they went away—so help me Bob—sober! Make a Russian drunk, No, stranger!

"Well, we vowed we'd get even somehow, and made up our minds to stay there till we did, and sure enough a cold snap came and froze the bay up; this was in December, so that we couldn't get out if we wanted to ever so much. After that was over the Russian gunboat, the Alexander her name was, came in and ordered us out. They'd smelled a rat somehow. But we just stayed right there and talked, and bless you, it might have been gospel truth for all we cared, or they knew. Finally she got tired of it and went away on a general cultus coulee, leaving orders, any amount of them, about us. Well, sir, that augur hole was so bad to fill up that we never got it plugged properly until May, and all that time we got never so much as a chance of working that fur claim. Finally we pulled up stakes and went over to Stickeen again to try and make out with a little whisky trading among the Indians. There were some miners just down the river, where they'd struck it rich. That turned me crazy. While I was waiting for a chance to get off up the river the Labouchere came down from Chilcat, bound south. I sent a letter down by her to my chum to come away quick. Instead of coming, the loon went yarning about the town showing my letter all round. That was what started the Stickeen Gold Fever. Well, I made a pretty good stake that time, and got down to Victoria all right, but my chum had a hard time. He started up the coast on a schooner with some others, and they fitted out and went up the river in canoes. Jim very near got drowned in a ripple, but managed to strike on his nose somewhere under water. Jim has a pretty good smeller for gold, and he saw that that bar where he struck was going to pay wages anyhow. He says he never saw anything better, but he'd no sooner started in washing than the big freshet came and spoilt the whole business. He's always growling even now about the amount he didn't make on that bar. Well, what with starving and wet, and losing his pack out of a canoe, Jim concluded to make for home, and he came down with a lot more, six canoes full of them. One thing I mind that happened them on the way down. One evening they camped near Bella Bella and posted two sentries to look out for Indians. Well, it was just after supper and they were having a smoke before turning in like, when half a dozen canoes full of Siwashes backed quietly into the beach and got out, all armed with guns. They wanted to know what the white men were doing there and were told to go to blazes. They prowled about a bit so that a considerable amount of things was found not there in the morning. So just after starting, when our fellows came past the village, they wanted to know where the things were that had been missing. But the Indians just told them to klatawa, that is, clear out, and began to shoot promiscuous. Jim still has a long yarn about the wound he just didn't get that time.

"Oh, well, it's all changed now. We used to have the dust and the traders had the log shanties, and now the traders own the whole claim and we are dead broke. Every dog has to have his day, and it's no use growling because a miner's day is short and sweet, and a trader's day is long and mean. I don't envy you youngsters, but hope you'll never be as bad a lot as most of us were in all those terrible wild years of the great Gold Fever."

(To be continued.)

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Rice	25 "	"	1 00
Peas, Green or Split	18 "	"	1 00
Beans, White or Brown	20 "	"	1 00
Currants (new)	10 "	"	1 00
Raisins, Valencia (new)	10 "	"	1 00
Prunes	from 6 to 12 "	"	1 00
Apples, Dried (new)	from 6 to 9 "	"	1 00
Peaches " "	6 "	"	1 00
Apricots " "	6 "	"	1 00
Peaches, 2 to 4 tins, new			20
Apricots, 2 tins, new			20
Pine Apples, 2 tins, new			20
Corn			1 00
Butter, Fresh Grass Roll, per roll			55

Tomatoes, 6 tins new	$	25
Peas, 6 tins, new		25
Jams and Jellies, 5 lb. tins	1	00
Pie Fruit, Assorted, gallon tins		75
Mince Meat, Superior, 5 lb. tins	1	00
Sugar, Light Brown, 15 lbs.	1	00
Sugar House Drips, per gallon		50
Vinegar, Malt "		60
Vinegar, White Wine "		65
Butter, Creamery 30 cts per lb 3 lbs for		90
Ham, Fidelity		18
Bacon, 16 cts per lb, or 7 lbs for	1	00
Coal Oil, Pearl per tin		75
Tobacco, Smoking, 5 plugs	1	00
Eggs, Island 30 per doz, Imported		25
Coffee, Victoria Blend		25
" Mocha, Java and Ceylon		45
Tea, 5 lbs MM for	1	00
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TIME TABLE No. 11,

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New Westminster Route.

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For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria, Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass Saturday.

Fraser River Route.

Steamers leave New Westminster for Hope and way landings every Wednesday. For Chilliwhack and way landings every Monday and Saturday at 7 o'clock during river navigation.

Northern Route.

S. S. Sardonyx will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

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TIME TABLE NO. 12.

To take effect at 5.00 a.m. on Thursday, May 1st, 1890.

Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

COING SOUTH. READ DOWN.

STATIONS.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Saturdays only.	No. A Passenger Mondays only.
	Ar.	Ar.	Ar.
VICTORIA	10 25 A.M.	2 00 P.M.	7 30 P.M.
DUNCANS	10 45 A.M.	2 20 P.M.	7 55 P.M.
SHAWNIGAN LAKE	10 56 A.M.	2 31 P.M.	
COBBLE HILL	11 03 A.M.	2 38 P.M.	
MALAHAT	11 13 A.M.	2 48 P.M.	
SOOKE	11 40 A.M.	3 15 P.M.	
SOOKE HARBOR	11 50 A.M.	3 25 P.M.	
SHAWNIGAN LAKE		3 45 P.M.	
DUNCANS	12 18 P.M.	4 03 P.M.	
CHEMAINUS	12 38 P.M.	4 23 P.M.	
NANAIMO	1 00 P.M.	4 45 P.M.	
WELLINGTON	1 10 P.M.	4 55 P.M.	

COING NORTH. READ DOWN.

STATIONS.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sat., Mon., Wed.	No. 6 Passenger Saturdays only.
	Ar.	Ar.	Ar.
WELLINGTON	10 20 A.M.	3 15 P.M.	8 15 P.M.
NANAIMO	10 30 A.M.	3 25 P.M.	8 25 P.M.
CHEMAINUS	10 50 A.M.	3 45 P.M.	
DUNCANS	11 10 A.M.	4 05 P.M.	
MALAHAT	11 37 A.M.	4 32 P.M.	
SOOKE	11 47 A.M.	4 42 P.M.	
SOOKE HARBOR	12 14 P.M.	5 09 P.M.	
COBBLE HILL	12 31 P.M.	5 26 P.M.	
SHAWNIGAN LAKE	12 38 P.M.	5 33 P.M.	
DUNCANS	12 48 P.M.	5 43 P.M.	
VICTORIA	1 05 P.M.	6 00 P.M.	

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Leave Port Townsend	.. ..	1:30 p.m.
Arrive Victoria	.. ..	4:00 p.m.
Leave Victoria	.. ..	10:00 a.m.
Leave Port Townsend	.. ..	12:30 p.m.
Leave Seattle	.. ..	10:00 p.m.
Arrive Tacoma	.. ..	11:15 p.m.

Tacoma-Seattle Route.

Leave Tacoma—10:00 a.m.; 12:00 m.; *7:45 p.m.
Leave Seattle—*7:30 a.m.; *12:00 p.m.; 4:30 p.m.
Boats leaving Tacoma 10:00 a.m., and Seattle at 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. land at Des Moines.

Seattle-Olympia Route.

Leave Seattle	*7:30 p.m.	Leave Olympia	*7:00 a.m.
Leave Tacoma	7:30 p.m.	Lv. Steilacoom	8:00 a.m.
Lv. Steilacoom	8:30 p.m.	Leave Tacoma	12:00 m.
Ar. Olympia	*11:00 p.m.	Arrive Seattle	*12:00 p.m.

—*Daily except Sunday. †Sunday only. *Daily.

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The Daily Times.

CITY AND PROVINCIAL.

ANNUAL PICNIC.

The St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society's Picnic—The Result of the Sports.

On account of the lateness of the hour at which the sports commenced at the Caledonian grounds yesterday afternoon, the TIMES was unable to give the following list of the winners in the contests:

Running high jump—Nichols and Harrison.

Running long jump—Bell, 18 ft. 10 in.; Harrison, 18 ft. 5½ in.

Running hop, step and jump—Harrison, 40 ft. 8 in.; Bell, 39 ft. 10 in.

Foot race (handicap) three miles—Watson, 1; Harrison, 2.

Foot race for boys under fifteen—1 Geo. Butte, 2 Jas. Burns, 3 T. Hepworth.

Same race for girls—1 Irene Ure, 2 Rose Matthews, 3 Maggie Seaford, Grace Cragie.

Same race for boys under ten—1 D. Heal, 2 F. Mitchell, 3 Fred Johnson.

Same race for girls—1 Jenny Callachan, 2 Mabel Redfern, 3 Mary Brown.

Foot race for boys under 18 (half mile)—1 J. Truran, 2 L. Vigelius.

Wrestling match (Scotch back hold) best two out of three—Watson and W. Langley out of several contestants.

Walking match (handicap) two miles 1 C. Smith, 2 T. Watson.

Throwing heavy hammer—G. Perry, 96 feet 2 inches; D. H. Anderson, 72 feet 2 inches.

Putting heavy shot—G. Perry, 33 feet 2½ inches; D. H. Anderson, 28 feet 10 inches.

Vaulting match—J. Nichols, 9 feet 2 inches; Angus Bell, 8 feet 11 inches.

Sack race—1 Elliott, 2 P Deasy.

Three legged race—1 Deasy and Moss, 2 Orford and Elliott.

Wheelbarrow race, boys under 18—1 King and W. Sheppard, 2 Tiedoman and Medina.

Amateur champion race, one mile—1 W. F. Blight, 2 Imbert.

Hurdle race—1 E. L. Harrison, 2 J. Fisher.

Tug-of-war—Sergt. Brimstone's team.

Extra boys' race—1 J. Rodger, 2 D. Heal, 3 R. Lane.

Extra race for girls—1 Maggie Tessford, 2 Bessie Levell.

The dress competition for children brought forward a number of tastefully and well dressed little bodies. Rachael S. Sheppard, a golden-haired little mortal (daughter of Supt. Sheppard) secured the prize for the girls, and Donald Campbell Mackay (son of Mr. Mackay) took the boys' prize.

DANCING.

In the dancing contests the following were winners:

Highland Fling—A. Beeton.

Special prize—Master H. Simpson.

Sailor's Hornpipe—1st A. Beeton, 2nd H. Simpson.

Sword Dance—A. Beeton.

Two special prizes—H. Simpson and Miss Annie Simpson.

In the contest for the best dressed girl in Highland costume, a special prize was awarded to Miss Strachan.

The athletic contest and competition dances being concluded, the tombola for prizes for ladies was drawn, with the following results, the 1st, 4th and 8th prizes being unclaimed:

1st—No. 521.
2nd—No. 390—Mrs. D. Thompson.
3rd—No. 782—Miss Bryant.
4th—No. 818.
5th—No. 601—Mrs. Jackson.
6th—No. 501—Mrs. J. B Harrison.
7th—No. 493—Miss Strachan.
8th—No. 240.

The football match (Association) between the United Scots and Thistles for badges offered by the society, was keenly contested and resulted in a dead heat each club making two goals. The first and second were won by the Scots in the first half of time and the last two by the Thistles in the last half. Ten minutes was allowed to try and decide the match but as neither club scored it was left with the captains to arrange a day to replay the game. The Scots are requested to be on the hill on Monday evening for practice.

As soon as the sports had been completed the immense crowd rushed for the pavilion where they were not kept waiting long by the Queen City Band who immediately started the music for the dance. The floor had been very much improved and everybody enjoyed themselves thoroughly in spite of the crowd on the platform, some of whom persisted in bumping into one another, a fact that everybody took good-naturedly. The music was the best and the weather could not have been beaten until it was time to go home, when a slight sprinkle of rain helped the hackdrivers and encouraged everyone to make for home as fast as possible. J. Wilson and Duncan Stewart, the floor managers did everything in their power to see that all hands enjoyed themselves and they must have been thoroughly satisfied with their work. During the evening the festive fire-works were called into requisition and reminded the American citizens present of their homes where the same thing was being done only on a larger scale.

Refreshments were looked after by Messrs. Harrison & McAllister and A McDonald of the Windsor, who managed to please everybody. Every praise is due to the different gentlemen who take an interest in the society, all of whom worked for the success of the annual gathering. Mayor Grant, Mr. Lorimer, Alderman Robertson, G. Bishop, R. McIntosh, R. Mitchell and the gentlemen who compose the committee were to the front as usual with their hospitality and good humor towards all.

The following were the officers of the event:

Committee of Management—The president, Ald. Robertson; vice-presidents, Robt. Mitchell and Jas. Tolmie, and Ald. A. J. Smith, George Bishop, Wm. Lorimer, Donald McKay, Mayor Grant, Robt. McIntosh, Capt. Irving, H. D. Helmcken, Andrew Tolmie, F. E. Irving, John Earsman, Geo. Mann, Geo. Webb, J. A. Wilson, J. H. McGregor, W. Ward, Geo. Walker, Jas. McArthur, P. Lowe, Dr. Renwick, Annandale Greeve, J. R. Carmichael, J. L. Anderson, D. Stewart, W. C. Anderson, W. A. Robertson.

Judges—R. J. Russell, A. B. Gray, R. K. Jackson, Capt. Irving, Jas. Burns, R. F. Rithet, H. D. Helmcken, Mayor Grant.

Reception Committee — President Robertson, Vice-Presidents R. Mitchell, J. Tolmie, Mayor Grant, Ald. A. J. Smith, W. Lorimer, G. Bishop, F. E. Irving, R. McIntosh.

Starters—Wm. Lorimer, G. Walker.

Floor Managers—J. A. Wilson, Duncan Stuart.

Rangers—James Deans, Hugh McKenzie.

Piper—David Kennedy.

Gatekeepers—Geo. Webb, J. L. Anderson.

Fireworks—Wm. Lorimer.

The Esquimalt Teacher.

D. Jones, who has taught the Esquimalt school with much satisfaction to the pupils and parents for the past three years, has resigned to accept a similar position in another place in the province. In losing Mr. Jones, Esquimalt loses an estimable young citizen.

Crossed Over.

Barney Goulding, an old Pioneer of the province, died at the St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday after a very short illness. The deceased was a native of Dublin, Ireland, and was 53 years of age. For the past twenty-five years he had been a resident of this province, and laterly kept a fruit and candy store near the corner of Yates and Broad streets.

Mean Thieving.

While the footballers were at their game at the Caledonian grounds last evening, a mean thief went through the pockets of the coats thrown off by the players. Knives, tobacco, handkerchiefs and small change was taken, and in one $15 was stolen. Had the sneak thief been caught in the act the young men would probably have used his body for a ball instead of the regulation Association sphere.

Baseball.

A dispatch from Port Townsend says the baseball match played there yesterday between the Amities of Victoria and the Port Townsends was one of the best games ever seen at the Port of entry. Good humor prevailed and both sides were thoroughly satisfied with their treatment. Following is the score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Townsends	3	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	7
Amities	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3

Door Mat Alarms.

Several of the business places in the city have been fitted out with patent door mat electrical alarms. It is impossible to step on the matting without ringing a bell, and people who walk into an open shop door, seeing no one about are surprised to hear a bell ring and have an attendant show up at once. These mats are meeting with a good deal of favor, and Mr. A. J. Clark, who is the agent here, is taking a good many orders.

New Lime Kiln.

A new lime kiln is being built on Rose bank, opposite the town of Esquimalt, which will, when completed, be one of the largest in the province. A tramcar will be used to carry the rock from the quarry to the kiln, and wharves are to be built for shipping the lime to this city and other parts of the province. The lime rock around Esquimalt is of superior quality, and if worked well will surpass the San Juan lime.

From the North.

The steamer Barbara Boscowitz arrived from the north last evening with several white and about sixty Indian passengers. The latter are on their way to the Fraser, where they intend to engage in fishing. She brought as freight the usual cargo of boxwood. When the Boscowitz left nothing had been heard of the Sardonyx, and it is not known yet what has become of her. The canneries are running full blast, and put up good catches. Mr. Dick and his surveying party have finished their work at Alert bay and came down by the Boscowitz.

Teachers' Examination.

This morning the candidates for 1st B. teachers' certificates were examined at the High School. On Monday the Second Class A. and Second Class B. candidates will be examined; and commencing Wednesday, the whole of the candidates will enter into competition. Following is the order of studies to be taken up:

Saturday, July 5—Natural Philosophy 9 to 11:30; Ancient History, 1 to 2; English Literature, 3:15 to 5:30.

Monday, July 7—Geometry, 9:30 to 12; Optional subjects (1. B.), 1:30 to 3:30.

Tuesday, July 8—Algebra, 9:30 to 12; Optional Subjects (2 A.), 1:30 to 3:30.

Wednesday, July 9th—Mensuration, 9:30 to 12; Book-keeping, 1:30 to 3:30.

Thursday, July 10—English History, 9:30 to 12; Geography, 1:30 to 4.

Friday, July 11—Arithmetic, 9:30 to 12; Writing, 1:30 to 3:30.

Saturday, July 12—English Grammar, 9:30 to 12; Anatomy, Physiology and Hygiene, 1:30 to 3:30.

Monday, July 14—Education 9:30 to 12; Canadian History, 1:30 to 3:30.

Tuesday, July 15—Mental Arithmetic 9:30 to 10:15; Spelling, 10:25 to 1; Composition, 1:30 to 3:30.

Government Competition.

The following letter appears in the columns of the Vancouver News-Advertiser:

SIR:—I notice that the Government in Victoria, through a person who is called the Minister of Mines, advertises a reduction in the rate of assaying. The prices there set for each mineral is no reduction at all in the first place. But it is certainly something new and unknown of before, that a government lowers itself so far in its dignity as to enter into competition of any kind. The honorable, so-called Minister, may just as well start shops and stores of any kind. It is a well-known fact that as yet I labor here in British Columbia under a disadvantage, there being as yet too little business to sustain me, but I look hopefully forward to the future. Now, the Government lowers itself to become a competitor in trade. I for one intend holding my own, for when I peruse the Minister of Mines' annual report on our Province, I cannot help smiling at the trash printed there. I address myself through our members, the Legislature, and through the press for redress. If the Government Assay Office was what it should be, they could hold their own, without reduction.—W. Bredemeyer, Ph. Dr., Mining and Civil Engineer.

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Per Str City of Kingston from the Sound—G F Kirch, H Southgate, E E Rodling, J H Perkins and wife, W H Jewell, W McGregor, A Bloos, H D Wheeler and wife, G P Dorman, T A Burns, D Boyd, W H Lettice, Miss McAvoy, J Cathcart, W H Routledge, A G Day, H C Halpenny, W Gaige, E T Johnson, W J Crane and wife, T W Peck and wife, Mrs Stoddard, L C Reynolds, W Rowland, H H Otis and wife, H Dorman, Miss Davis, J Batters, H Tubberer, R E Anderson, D Russell, A Haughton, J R Stark, M A McKenzie, T C Ives, B Phillips, G Mis, J Hanscomb, E McDower, D Piper, Miss Gherkes, Jno Reynolds, F Green and wife, Mrs McLean and daughter, H Tate, E G Dorr, Miss Burgers, J M Boyd and wife, T J Miller and wife, J Hays, W Kern, Miss McAdam, E T Hook, W H Young, A S Friend, J B Seeley, J Phillips, T Gribble, R Clanton.

CONSIGNEES.

Per the Steamer Islander from Vancouver—W H Peters, B Gordon, J K A Cleverhue, H Saunders, Cowan & Wilson, D H Ross, Cowan Shaw & Co, J Lascelles, W J Broadfoot, Geo Rudge, Mrs Stevenson, C W Spencer, McLennan & McFeely, Thos Hooper, Dom Exp Co.

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THE CITY OF ANACORTES

THE EXCURSION FROM VICTORIA ON THE FOURTH OF JULY.

Who Composed the Party—The Delightful Trip Provided by Mr. Croasdaile—The Diplomacy of a Railway Company—Typical American Progress.

There seems to be two things in this world over which all English speaking persons are agreed: First, the Magna Charta, second the Fourth of July, or "Independence Day," as it is sometimes called by the Americans. These two things, as they have just been called, are synonymous with liberty, and although Englishmen and Americans may cordially dislike each other, they stand on common ground in their mutual estimate of the Magna Charta and the Declaration of Independence as constituting epochs in political history from which liberty successively dates. Thus it comes about that Englishmen, or the British, it should perhaps be said, can, when the Fourth of July comes round, fraternise with excellent stomach with the Americans, and thus it was that the Fourth of July excursion to Anacortes from this city, given by Mr. Croasdaile, proved a most successful and enjoyable affair. One hundred and seventy-five of Victoria's elite, comprising men and women, boys and girls, boarded the Yosemite yesterday morning, and despite the early hour none looked sleepy and all were good natured. Among the excursionists were Major Peters, A. J. Langley and the Misses Langley, the Misses Dunsmuir, Wm. Wilson and family, Geo. Keefer and family, Mrs. W. Langley, Mr. and Mrs. Debbin, Mrs. J. C. Davie and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Hamlin, the Rev. Beanlands, C. Hayward, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson, Mrs. Robt. Beaven and daughter, Dr. Milne and wife, Hon. A. N. Richards and family, Mayor Grant and wife, J. A. McCrea of the Indian Department, S. J. Pitts, Mrs. Justice Walkem and sister, sundry officers of the navy, our morning contemporary and others. The assemblage, in a word, represented the sword and the pen, the gown and the civil service, commerce, law, a little of everything in fact, and all, as has just been intimated were in just the proper frame of mind to listen to the annual scream of the eagle bird. John Bull was docile; not one of his fair daughters brought their seal skins with them. The course of the Yosemite lay to the north of San Juan Island. Fetching Roche Harbor the custom house fiend boarded the steamer, and the steamer retaliated by swamping his boat. After about an hour the boat was rescued from a watery grave, and the custom house man left in disgust, and at half past one p. m. the steamer drew up at Anacortes. Here the excursionists found a town of 1200 people, which for its age—five months—was all that could be expected of it. Anacortes, in fact, was a surprise both as regards its size and location. Unquestionably in the latter respect it has no peer on the eastern shores of the Sound. The rise from the waters edge is gradual—no bluffs, the curse of Sound cities, but a gradual rise, just enough to insure good drainage. Five months ago the site was an unbroken forest. To-day there is nothing to remind one of "forest primeval" save stumps. Streets have been laid out and planked, and needless to say, buildings stretch away in every direction. Three hotels are in operation and two more are building. One of these is nearly finished, a four-story brick costing $75,000. Mr. Geo. Kyle, formerly Ouderdonk's right hand man, is heavily interested in this establishment, a fact which should seem to show that he has an abiding faith in the rapid development of Anacortes into a thriving and important city. Anacortes, so the story goes, got a black eye some three months ago. The town, primarily, having its origin in the belief that it was to be the terminus of the Northern Pacific Railway, just simply boomed. There were three thousand people gathered within its limits during the first few weeks of its existence, and although they all had money they hadn't a where to lay their heads. Lodging houses were at a premium. All of a sudden the bottom fell out of the place. Wherefore? The rumor was abroad that Port Townsend was the choice of the N. P. as a terminal point for their system, and the rumor took on the color of a fearful reality in the action of the N. P. in moving all their traps to the "Key City," as it advertises itself. It seems, however, that the N. P. was simply coquetting with Anacortes. The company wanted a bonus. A railway will not make any city a terminus without a bonus, without wringing from it a portion of its life blood? Absurd! So the N. P. Scotchmanlike asked Anacortes "what she would give" to become their Pacific terminus? It is not necessary to go into particulars. Anacortes offered the company 500 acres within the city limits, which at the rate land is now selling two miles from town is worth $1,250,000. As a terminal point there is no telling what land is worth. The company, it is said, on good authority, has accepted the offer. Indeed the company, it is affirmed, at no time contemplated the abandonment of Anacortes as their terminal point. They wanted a bonus and by shouting around they got it. Anacortes, besides her local advantages, that is to say the site itself, and her harbor, which has no superior on the sound, has geographical advantages which recommend her for a terminal point for a trans-continental railway. A glance at the map will show that she lies a little north of west of Spokane Falls, and is the natural outlet of the Skagit river valley. Glancing further at her location, we find that she lies almost due east of the straits of Fuca, is fifty miles nearer the Pacific Ocean than Seattle, and seventy miles nearer than Tacoma, and is as conveniently accessible as Port Townsend. Indeed, the Northern could never have seriously contemplated making Port Townsend their terminus, for glancing at the map again we find that in order to do so a tremendous detour round the southern end of the Sound must be made, involving an expense and a loss of time in point of carriage which would scarcely do in these days of sharp railway traffic competition. But to go into details in the matter will lead to the impression that this article is intended for something not strictly within the category of news whereas it is the plain unvarnished tale of a "wretched reporter" who was sober the live long day and who has studied the situation for months as a question both important and interesting. The reader, therefore, who fancies that the reporter is drawing a long bow is requested to study the map of Washington and to remember that nobody is anxious to sell in Anacortes except those who during the boom bought themselves land poor, and are now willing to sell a portion of their holdings to meet payments that are coming due. To speak of Anacortes proper, improvements are going on for all the decadence of the boom. Of these we have a system of waterworks under the direction of the Oregon Improvement Co., together with an electric railway which will cross the Island to Deception. This road has been subsidized to the extent of $150,000, not by the Government but by the citizens of the Island. The road will be 15 miles long and will go into operation this fall. It is expected that there will be 200 men put to work on it within the next two weeks.

The genius of the country is push. Possessed of certain advantages, the people, apparently, are determined to realize on them as soon as may be. Instead of waiting for opportunity to come to them, they step out and meet opportunities half way. Their policy is to hurry up opportunity. They propose to live in one year what more conservative people live in two years. It is a fast life but the "almighty dollar" makes the mare go. What is life worth without money? What manner of man is he who wastes his opportunities? unquestionably the tide of prosperity has turned in favor of Anacortes. Everything points to her becoming an important commercial mart. The railway completed up to the Skagit valley, including the Westminster Southern, which will be completed this year, she naturally becomes a distributing point for the farming element, which is numerous and increasing, and she will also have rail communication with Montreal. Such is Anacortes. In concluding this sketch it would never do to omit to mention the Victoria band which was on board and which played often and well. Of American national songs which they played that of Yankee Doodle seemed to evoke the greatest enthusiasm among their American cousins. On the return home, the delighted excursionists pulled their wits together, and contrived an address of thanks to Mr. Croasdaile for the efficient manner in which he had contributed to their pleasure. The address was delivered by the Hon. A. N. Richards, and was signed by Mayor Grant, Hon. A. N. Richards, Col. C. T. Dupont, H. B. W. Aikman, Chas. Hayward, G. H. Burns, Charles Wilson, H. C. Beeton and Dr. Milne, Mr. Croasdaile briefly responded. He evidently had been taken by surprise. Home was reached at half-past ten p.m., and so ended a most pleasant trip to Yankee land.

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BRIEF LOCALS.

The Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

Kite flying is all the rage with the school boys out for their holidays.

Fraser river is falling gradually, and the water is getting much warmer.

Two bluejackets of the Daphne have taken French leave from the vessel.

The "Pure Air" by-law which has fallen into disuse, is to be more strictly enforced.

Johnson, Walker & Flett have received new machinery for their sash and door mill.

A C Battery man name Gutrow is under arrest on a charge of stealing from a comrade.

The water in the Fraser reached the highest point on Thursday night, of any previous record this season.

Johnson & Co.'s shingle mill on Gambier Island, which was burnt a few days ago, will be re-built immediately.

The large frames for the window of the new Pandora Avenue Methodist Church, are being put in position.

According to the West Shore cupid has taken to a modern Gatling gun in place of the ancient bow and arrow.

The newly-elected officers of Colfax Lodge Daughters of Rebekah will be installed on Tuesday night on Odd Fellows hall.

Large lots of lumber mill machinery have lately arrived here from the east. An extra heavy planer was last night received by the Islander.

A meeting is to be held at Temperance Hall to-night with a view of forming an elocution class under the direction of Professor Adderley.

The annual swarm of mosquitos at New Westminster are now out and ready for business. Their bills are said to be keener than ever.

Mr. William Earl, for fifteen years postmaster of Nanaimo, has retired from that position, Mr. A. H. Horne being promoted to the vacancy thereby caused.

The address presented to W. M. Chudley, the late hon. secretary of the Jubilee hospital, by the directors of that institution, is on view in Chas. Redfern's window.

One of the features of the music at the Caledonian picnic yesterday was the splendid cornet solos of Prof. Whiting, the latest addition to the Queen City Band.

A writ of mandamus has been applied for by Mr. J. W. Carey, et al Colquitz water claimants, to compel the city to appoint an arbitrator to deal with the long vexed question.

Fred. J. Brady, of Windermere, B. C., is suing the Dominion Government for $25,000 for personal injuries sustained in a runaway accident in the Banff National Park.

A case will come up in the Supreme Court next month wherein two directors of the defunct Nanaimo Courier are suing the third director for his share of a note signed by the three.

John Finlayson has been gazetted superintendent of the reformatory and F. J. Stannard, assistant collector of Provincial revenue tax in Victoria and Victoria and Esquimalt districts.

Messrs. Connery & Kelly, failed to draw an audience at Nanaimo. Only one man made his appearance, and his money was instantly refunded. The people of Nanaimo lost more than Messrs. Connery and Kelly.

The following are the successful tenders for Provincial jail supplies for the ensuing year: Groceries, H. Saunders; vegetables and meat, J. Parker; clothing, Gilmore & McCandless; coal, H. C. McCaulay, and bread, J. J. Wilson.

Work on digging the foundations for the Vancouver sugar refinery, was commenced on Thursday, and it is likely that the stone work will begin next Monday. The Ark has already brought down a large quantity of rock from the North Arm quarry. This information recalls to mind that a bonus was granted for a refinery in Victoria, which, somehow, seems to have been forgotten.

A man living at Departure Bay dreamed three nights in succession that some venerable treasure was buried on Mrs. Christie's land, and providing he could reach a certain depth before daylight he would find that which would make him rich for the remainder of his days. Although the man had dug a considerable depth he had not reached the object when daylight intervened and he was forced to give up the task. He succeeded in unearthing the skull of an Indian, probably one of the vanquished who took part in the Indian war some years ago on that spot.

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Lower Tot.

In the TIMES' report of the last Board of Aldermen meeting it was mentioned that the offer of J. E. Crane to the board to lay asphalt pavement approaches to Trounce Avenue, was for $3 per yard. The price tendered was $2, which is certainly reasonable enough.

Sunday Concert.

The following is the programme for to-morrow's concert at Beacon Hill:

War March of Priests	Athalie
Les Dragons de Villars	Maillart
Spanish Serenade—La Paloma	
Selection—Il Trovatore	Verdi
Fantasia—Recollections of Opera	Beyer
Cornet Solo—Priscilla	Pecher
Fantasia—Soldier's Life	Keler Bela
March—Distant Greetings	Doring

Further Improvements.

The efficiency of the fire department has been made even more rapid by an arrangement of the doors of the tiger fire hall, by which they can be thrown open in a second by merely pulling a cord which hangs near the driver's seat. This facilitates getting out considerably and is a good improvement.

Coming North.

The steamer Umatilla sailed from San Francisco for Victoria and Puget Sound points this morning with the following passengers for this city: A. Munn, J. A. Murray, J. A. Blair, J. T. Rooney, A. Rothschild, G. Gilmer, Miss T. Gilmer, Miss May Cutler, H. B. Meyer, Miss E. Lovejoy, Mrs. F. Weeden and M. Fitzgerald.

A Lost Boy.

The little three-year-old boy of Mr. and Mrs. Baby, 14 Cadboro Bay Road, strolled away from his home yesterday evening, and no trace of him has yet been found. Search parties have been out but the hunt has been unavailing. His distracted parents would be very thankful for any information concerning their lost one. The little fellow had on a blue suit and a straw hat when he went away.

Monthly Mortality.

The mortuary statistics of cities issued by the Dominion Government for May last are at hand. Victoria has the third lowest ratio per 1000, it being but .75. Charlottetown, Ont., with .73, and Fredericton, N. B., with .68, being the two lowest. The total number of deaths for May, 1890, were 14. For the same month in 1889 the number was 18.

For the month of June the total number of deaths were 25, or a ratio of about 1.63 per 1000.

Local Talent.

Two oil paintings by Miss Edith McMicking are on view in Jamieson's window, and are very creditable productions for so youthful an artist. One is a fruit piece, and the pears, peaches, etc., of which it is composed look luscious enough to eat. The coloring is natural, and the drawing perfect. The other is a country scene, with an old windmill in the foreground. The distance is well done and the toning, the work being in black and white, very fine. Miss McMicking is evidently a promising young artiste.

The Late Andrew White.

A coroner's inquest will be held at 8 o'clock this evening on the body of the late Andrew White, who came to his death by drowning yesterday morning. The lateness of the hour is made necessary on account of the principal witnesses being away on the steamer Rithet. The funeral expenses are to be paid for by the C.P.N. Company, who will give him a decent burial to-morrow. From a letter found in his trunk it is learned that he comes from West Duddington, Edinburgh, Scotland, where his mother resides at present.

Want Union Coal.

It has leaked out that the Trades Assembly have received a communication from the Wellington coal miners embracing a comprehensive statement of the difficulties existing between the proprietors and miners, and urging the Assembly to endorse the boycott placed on Dunsmuir coal by the Federated Trades of San Francisco and other cities on the coast. Of course, Victoria Trades Assembly cannot place a boycott on Wellington mines coal, as it would be contrary to law, but it has decided to communicate with the Vancouver Coal company suggesting the wisdom of advertising the places at which their coal can be purchased in Victoria, as union men must have union coal. The Assembly represents a consuming population of nearly three thousand.

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GOULDING—In this city on the 4th inst., Barney Goulding, a native of Dublin, Ireland, aged 55 years.

The funeral will take place on Monday, at 8:30 a. m., from St. Joseph's Hospital and at 9 a. m., from the R.C. pro-Cathedral, View street. Friends are invited to attend.

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Applicants are known personally to the Board are requested to send their photographs stating qualifications, experience, etc.

By order. H. BOLSHINE, Secretary.

Victoria, B. C. 3rd July, 1890. jy5-td

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